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BIRTHS.

BOLLARD—January 21, 1920, at Rothbury, Athlone, to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bollard, a son.

CARDWELL—January 25, 1920, at 5 Mount st. Crescent, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cardwell, a son.

KAVANAGH—January 24, 1920, at 13 Montagu place, London, W., the wife of Major Arthur Kavanagh, of a daughter.

KING—January 19, 1920, at 24 Ulverton rd., Dalkey, to Dr. and Mrs. Edward King, a son.

RICHARDSON—January 24, 1920, at Private Nursing Home, No. 5 Mount st. Crescent, Dublin, the wife of Edward Richardson (late of Moate), a son.

SCOTT—January 19, 1920, at 68 South Parade, Belfast, the wife of W. F. Scott, a daughter.

STEEDE—January 23, 1920, at The Abbey, Tipperary, the wife of G. FitzGerald Steede, M.A., of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BODKIN and GUILMETTE—January 22, 1920, at the Church of the Gesu, Montreal, by the Rev. William H. Kingston, S.J., Robert Ignatius (Claims Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Calgary, Alberta), second son of the late Dominick G. Bodkin, R.M., and Mrs. Bodkin, to Marie, eldest daughter of the late Peter J. Guilmette, and Mrs. Guilmette, of Winnipeg, and grand-daughter of the late Honorable Judge McKeagney, of the Supreme Court of Manitoba.

SEX and HAYES—January 14, 1920, at Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough st., Dublin, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Benediction, by Rev. W. J. Hayes, Batley Carr, Dewsbury, assisted by Rev. J. Kearney, C.C., Newbridge, and Rev. A. Fenelon, C.C., Timahoe, Thomas, son of the late James Sex, Cornet's Court, Newbridge, to Mary A., second daughter of the late Patrick Hayes, Mansergh's Hill, Co. Tipperary.

THOMAS and SEVERN—January 13, 1920, at West Moors, Dorset, the Rev. E. Francis Heaton Thomas, only son of the late Edwyn Thomas, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, late of Killoskehane Castle, Templemore, to Juliet, elder daughter of the late Charles Lloyd Severn, Esq., and Mrs. Severn, Broadlands, Ferndown, Dorset.

TURNER and HIFFERNAN—January 22, 1920, at Rathfarnham Parish Church, by the Rev. A. E. Hughes, Denis Mahon Turner, Captain, I.A.R.O. (attached Sappers and Miners), son of the late Francis John Turner, to Rose Eid, second daughter of the late Thomas E. Hiffernan, of Buttevant, Co. Cork, and Mrs. Hiffernan, 13 Tower st., Rathgar.

DEATHS.

ALEXANDER—January 24, 1920, at Lafrowda, Warrenpoint, Louisa Harriett, widow of Rev. H. Alexander, B.A., late Rector of Killinagh, Blacklion, Co. Cavan. Funeral to Killinagh, Wednesday.

ARMSTRONG—January 22, 1920, at his residence, Ardnacarrig, Bandon, George Allman Armstrong, C.E. Funeral private.

BARRY—January 24, 1920, at John's place, Birr, Nina Gwendoline (Trixie), daughter of the late R. Fitzwilliam Barry, C.S., and Mrs. R. Fitzwilliam Barry, in her 17th year. R.I.P. Funeral (private) to-day (Monday).

BUCHANAN—January 23, 1920, at his residence, 38 Brighton rd., Rathgar, George Buchanan, late of the firm of Messrs. Bewley and Draper, Dublin. Funeral, 9.30, this (Monday) morning to Mount Jerome.

CULLEN—January 25, 1920, at her residence, 31 Rathdown rd., Maria, relict of the late John Cullen. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing children. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Peter's R.C. Church, Phibsborough, after 9 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Tuesday) for Glasnevin.

FRASER—January 24, 1920, at Crosspatrick, Killala, Co. Mayo, Charles Fraser, aged 47 years. Funeral, 2 o'clock, to-day.

FREE—January 23, 1920, at her parents' residence, 77 Upper Rathmines, Dorothy Frances Gladys, dearly-beloved elder daughter of David and Mary Jane Free.

"Just as I am—without one plea,
But that Thy blood was shed for me,
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee,
O Lamb of God, I come!"

FRENCH—January 25, 1920, at Formby, W. Percy French, second son of the late C. French, Cloonquin, Co. Roscommon. Deeply regretted.

INSLEY—At Castlerea, Mary A. Insley, widow of the late William Insley. Funeral (private) to Ballinlough, leaving Castlerea at 11.30, to-morrow (Tuesday).

MEMERY—January 24, 1920, at 104 South Lotts rd., Ringsend, Susanna, dearly-loved wife of Robert Memery, and last surviving daughter of the late William Rowden. "To be with Christ, which is far better." Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 10.30, Mount Jerome.

O'BYRNE—January 19, 1920, *en route* for India, suddenly, Gerald J. E. C.S.I., second son of Mrs. O'Byrne, Woodville, The Hill, Monkstown, Co. Dublin. R.I.P. (By cable.)

PEIRCE—January 23, 1920, at Rosenvaenget, Copenhagen, Robert Peirce, of Castleview, Ballybunion, Ireland, son of the late John Peirce, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., Newcastle West, Limerick, aged 73.

PETTIGREW—January 21, 1920, at the residence of Penarth, Glam., Mary Howard Pettigrew, widow of the late William Pettigrew, of Warrenpoint, Co. Down, aged 86. "For so He giveth His beloved sleep."

STOKES—January 25, 1920, at St. Leonard's, Blackrock, Mary Stokes, widow of Robert Stokes. Funeral private. No flowers.

WHEATLEY—On Saturday last, January 24, 1920, at his residence, 251 Richmond rd., Drumcondra, James Wheatley, aged 74, brother of late Prior of Moate. Deeply regretted. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 11 o'clock, from above address, for Glasnevin.

WILLIAMS—January 22, 1920, Daniel Henry, the dearly-beloved and darling little infant of Thomas and Jennie Williams, Clonbrock, Ahascragh, Ballinasloe. "Safe in the arms of Jesus."

WILSON—At Madresfield Grange, Malvern, of double pneumonia, Arthur John de Courcy Wilson, third son of the late James Wilson, D.L., of Currygrane, Co. Longford, aged 53.

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COOK, Good Plain, Wanted for country; baking; kitchenmaid kept.—Mrs. Charlton, Plas Bellin, Northop, Flintshire, N. Wales. 12 26
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GOOD Cook General or good General Wanted, for quiet place, near Dublin; wages £36, rising to £40, if suitable; good outings; must be early riser, very clean, a good cook; no washing. Apply H., Shanet, Baily, Co. Dublin. D
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WANTED, Cook General, able to milk; £24; references; h. p. kept.—Mrs. Swaber, Sandyford, Co. Dublin.
WANTED, Good Plain Cook, small dairy, R.C., country. Send copies discharges, state wages expected, to Moldon, Coolarne, Athenry.
WANTED immediately, good young R.C. Cook; wages £28-£30.—"Z 120, Cook," this office. A
WANTED by 1st February, Cook General and House Parlourmaid; wages about £30.—Colonel Acton, Kasckeadar, near Bray, Co. Wicklow. B
WANTED, good Cook General or really good General; state age, religion, wages required. Apply, enclosing discharges, to Mrs. Owen, Magherabeg House, Donegal.
WANTED, Cook General, young, good experience; wages £25; two in family.—N 1136, this office. A
WANTED, for England, Good Cook General; officer's small family; nurse and orderly kept. Apply personally between 1 and 3 o'clock, at 2 Upper Ely place. B
WANTED at once, good young Cook; help given; wages £28-£30. Personal interview between 11 and 1, 29 Belgrave square, Monkstown.
WANTED, good Cook, smart, active, country, near Bray. Send copies, particulars.—D., c/o Wilde, Bray.
WANTED, Cook Housekeeper; must be first rate cook and good manager; kitchen and scullerymaids kept; R.C. preferred. Full particulars, Mrs. More-O'Ferrall, Kildangan, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. D
WANTED, 1st March, good single handed Cook for Clondalkin, every modern convenience; £35 to £45; I.C.; two in family; three maids. Also House Parlourmaid, same house, £30, £40.—"Z 240, Cook," this office. B
WANTED immediately, Cook General; country place; three in family; butler kept.—Battersby, Loughbawn, Collinstown.
WANTED, two respectable Girls (sisters preferred) as Cook and House Parlourmaid, near Dublin; three in family; good wages. Apply N 1050, this office.
WANTED, Cook for Co. Carlow; very small dairy, fowl; wages £24. Apply, with copies, "Z 282, Cook," this office. C
WANTED immediately, experienced Cook General; send copies discharges, state wages expected.—Mrs. Green, Herberton, Cross avenue, Blackrock.
WANTED, Early February, very good Cook Housekeeper for small house; two in family; Co. Limerick; good wages; Protestant preferred. Apply, stating age, and wages expected, Whitehead, Dunraven Arms Hotel, Adare.
WANTED, Cook General for the country; good temper essential; small dairy; no washing; state wages wanted.—Gaussen, Ballydarton, Bagenalstown.
WANTED, Cook or General; £30; family two. Call 24 Main st., Blackrock.
WANTED, two Protestants, Cook General (butter-making) and House Parlourmaid, same house, provincial town, near Belfast; fares paid; wages £30 and £24 respectively. Personal interview between 12 and 2 at 12 Royal terrace, East, Kingstown.
WANTED immediately, experienced Cook; good wages. Also Kitchenmaid; previous experience not necessary; country place near Dublin.—"Z 319, Cook," this office.
WANTED, good Plain Cook for small house, three in family. Apply, with copies discharges, stating age, wages, etc., to Mrs. Cooper, Birchgrove, Wexford.
WANTED, good Cook, some housework, poultry; also good General. State wages, with references, Newton, Leoville, Bishopbriggs, Glasgow. F
WANTED immediately, experienced Cook General; send copies of discharges, state wages expected.—Mrs. Green, Herberton, Cross avenue, Blackrock.

GENERALS WANTED.

AN experienced young General Wanted; four in family; good wages and outings.—G 25, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.
A YOUNG General Wanted; experience not necessary; help with two children; some housework.—T 25, Irish Times Office, Kingstown. B
CLEAN General Wanted, Rathgar; small washing; family two; £20.—"Z 169, General," this office. A
EXPERIENCED General Servant Wanted (Clontarf); country girl, able to milk, preferred; good references.—N 1352, this office.
EXPERIENCED General Servant and Housemaid Wanted for Ailesbury road; no basement; good wages.—N 1360, this office.
EXPERIENCED General Wanted, small family, town; wages £25; good cooking.—240, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.
EXPERIENCED General Wanted for Bray; wages £22.—55, c/o Wilde, Bray.
GENERAL Wanted for Kingstown, young country Girl, some experience, plain cooking, no washing; liberal wages if suitable.—"Z 139, General," this office.
GENERAL Servant Wanted; good wages; no cooking; middleaged not objected to.—4 Kenilworth road. C
GOOD General required; would train nice girl; fare advanced; send copies, photo. Apply Mrs. Menzies, 118 Abbey road, London, N.W. 6.
LONDON people living Dublin require Protestant General.—R 0 485, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.
STRONG, active Person required, all Household duties, for small family; no washing; good cooking; Garvagh weekly. Enclose copies, state wages.—N 1399, this office. O

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SMART General Wanted; good cook essential; £20, rising. Apply 87 Anglesea road. A
SANDYMOUNT—Experienced General Wanted; personal reference necessary; very good wages. Apply 18 Adelaide st., Kingstown.
WANTED, a good General; also an experienced Girl for children. Apply, with reference, to 9 South Richmond st. A
WANTED, experienced, well trained General Servant for Monkstown; two in family; good wages for reliable person. Address N 1143, this office. A
WANTED, capable, well recommended General; usual work, cooking, some washing; help given; good wages.—Beechgrove, Glenageary. B
WANTED immediately, by an Irish family, for English rectory, capable General Servant (Protestant), plain cook; good references essential; family three; mother and young daughter might suit; wages £30.—Y 34, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.
WANTED, young General; good wages to suitable Girl. Call, between 5 and 7, 52 Grosvenor road, Rathmines. C
WANTED at once, middle aged General; plain cook.—242, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.
WANTED for Foxrock, good General; two in family; plain cooking; good wages.—Mountrath, Foxrock.
WANTED, for country house in Kildare, 14 miles from town, no children, General; R.C.; plain cooking, washing (milking if required); state wages expected, age, and give reference.—"Z 313, General," this office.
WANTED, Bray, young General Servant for family three; untrained might suit.—2, c/o Wilde, Bray. C
WANTED, young, competent General; nurse housemaid kept; wages £30 to £35.—Mrs. Evans, Kildare, Heaselton-Dee, Cheshire. B
WANTED, General, Kingstown, some experience; well recommended; wages £16 to £18.—J 20, Irish Times Office, Kingstown. B

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CAN any lady thoroughly recommend experienced House Parlourmaid for Co. Galway, country place; betweenmaid kept to help; wages £27 to £30.—"Z 265, Parlourmaid," this office. C
EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid Required 29th January; modern house; small family, three maids. Send photo and papers, and state experience, age, wages, to Mrs. Dams, White House, Waybridge, near London. B
EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid Wanted; £28; state age, copies.—O'Ferrall, Edgeworthstown House, Edgeworthstown.
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HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted; needlewoman; would train clean, smart Girl. Apply immediately, McKeever, Bayview, Drogheda. A
HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted. Write, or apply between eleven and twelve, 85 Merrion road. B
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HOUSE Betweenmaid (R.C.) Wanted, February, country place; state age, send copies.—Blake, Ballyglunin Park, Co. Galway. C
HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted; one partially trained might suit. Apply, stating age, experience, and salary expected, Miss McCulloch, Donore, Mountrath. C
HOUSEMAID Wanted. Apply, with references, 12 to 1 o'clock, at Dolphin Hotel, Essex st.
HOUSEMAID, single, Protestant, active country Girl, with experience; state age, wages, copies.—Hon. Mrs. Millar, Killarney Wood, Bray. C
HOUSEMAID Wanted, country place.—Mrs. Charlton, Plas Bellin, Northop, Flintshire, N. Wales. 12 26
REQUIRED immediately, trained House Parlourmaid (R.C.); housemaid kept; send papers and all particulars.—Mrs. Mahony, Barfield, Galway. C
TEMPORARY experienced Housemaid; good wages to right person.—Mrs. Penniman, Clobemon Hall, Ferns, Co. Wexford.
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WANTED, a young House Parlourmaid for Raglan road; wages £22-£24; some experience necessary; family four; quiet place.—N 1264, this office.
WANTED, House Parlourmaid for gentleman's house; state wages, age, religion.—Mrs. Maurice Dennis, Barraderry, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow. A
WANTED, end of month, Dublin, House Parlourmaid and Cook General, doctor's house; two generals might suit; £22-£24.—N 1320, this office. B
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WANTED, Co. Limerick, superior, very clean and thorough Single Housemaid; good wages; or one not fully trained but highly recommended, at rising wages; comfortable place, separate bedroom; three other maids kept.—"Z 258, Housemaid," this office. C
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EXPERIENCED Housemaid, disengaged 2nd Feb., go as Cook General, small family; recommended.—Miss Crosby, Lotamore, Cork. D
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HOUSE Parlourmaid, some experience, desires situation; satisfactory paper; recommended.—N 352, this office.
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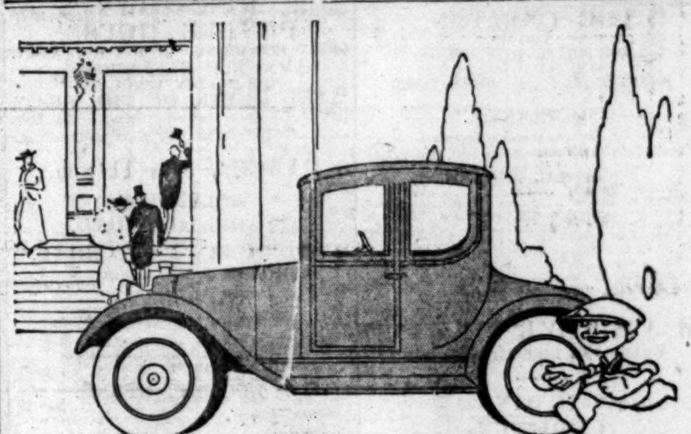

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WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

In the undercurrent of industrial markets a good inquiry continues to prevail, but extreme views of manufacturers and belated conditions of delivery make material progress in business still difficult. In woollen and cotton textiles, buyers show more hesitancy in responding to extreme quotations, but the off-take of finished goods is steady all the same for what offers. However, in raw material markets recently some wobble is noticeable, but, while cotton rates occasionally vibrate wildly, there is a palpable break in free wool. Final London auctions of Government Colonial fleece, no doubt, closed this week at dearest level, but Cape and other free wools at the week's sales closed 5 to 10 per cent. cheaper than December level. At a Dublin competitive wool sale on Wednesday last, too, when over 500,000lb. Irish-grown fleece was offered, manufacturers and merchants showed great apathy and reserve. Biddings were disappointing, and fully 5 to 10 per cent. below November currencies under like conditions, but many lots were withdrawn. Only in choice deep wools was any serious interest manifested.

EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs A. Guinness, Son, and Co's shipments of porter from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists, for the past week, were:—

Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.
2,036	12,198	394	933	127

Corresponding week's shipment for previous three years:—

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.
1919 ...	782	2,550	131	65	39
1918 ...	749	2,726	376	46	13
1917 ...	650	2,592	65	49	10

The above week's exports are equal to 16,863 hhds. for 1920, as against 4,230 hhds. for 1919, 4,492 hhds. for 1918, and 3,953 hhds. for 1917.

The following quantities of porter were also shipped from Dublin by the various firms named, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists, for the week ending January 24th, 1920:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
Watkins, Jameson & Co. ...	—	17	40	97	8	78
Mountjoy Brewery Co. ...	—	1	—	6	—	3
D'Arcy & Son ...	—	1	—	—	—	1
Total	—	19	40	103	8	82

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
1919 ...	—	32	3	37	29	51
1918 ...	—	31	2,792	257	26	1,983
1917 ...	16	123	44	433	16	333

EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists and bills of entry, and otherwise advised, for the week ending January 24th, 1920, were as follow:—

Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr. Cks.	Octs.	Kegs.
2	53	98	8	5	1	—

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr. Cks.	Octs.	Kegs.
1919 ...	—	25	30	35	1	15	—
1918 ...	—	30	22	27	8	1	—
1917 ...	5	2	35	3	2	—	—

There were also shipped cross Channel last week about 2,042 gallons of whiskey in bottles, jars, &c.

EXPORTS OF LIVE STOCK.

The shipments of live stock from Dublin, as officially returned for periods specified hereunder, were:—

	Week ending Jan. 17, 1920	Week ending Jan. 18, 1919	Week ending Jan. 19, 1918
Cattle, Oxen, &c. ...	8,582	8,296	6,361
Sheep and Lambs ...	4,520	2,934	3,520
Swine ...	3,157	5,017	3,681
Horses ...	70	150	30
Total	16,337	16,397	13,592

The total shipments from all other ports of embarkation in Ireland, for the week ending January 17th, 1920, were:—

	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.	Asses.	Goats.
	8,730	2,692	2,074	236	—	23
Same week of 1919...	10,558	1,977	2,670	113	2	89
Same week of 1918...	7,059	1,596	3,128	16	—	239

Total exports, including those from Dublin, for above week, being 30,092 animals for 1920, against 31,806 animals for 1919 and 25,650 animals for 1918.

FOREIGN IMPORTS.

The direct foreign arrivals at the Port of Dublin last week embraced the following:—From New Orleans—1,338 tons wheat, 3,434 sleepers, 53,481 pcs. staves. From Port Tampa—1,987 tons phosphate rock. From Norway—38,004 bags wheat. From New York—A large miscellaneous cargo, including electric carbons, automobile parts, brooms, mirrors, rails, paint, paraffin wax, shoes, wire fencing, etc. From cross-Channel ports there arrived in Dublin during the past week 16,902 tons of coal.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, January 26th, 1920.

COURT OF APPEAL.—For to-morrow. For hearing. Final Appeals.—Jennings v. Jennings, part heard; Congested Districts Board, landlords, Robertson, tenant.

CHANCERY DIVISION.—Lord Chancellor. In Lunacy. Before the Registrar, 11.30.—Summons, G.S.; do., S. Kerr; statement, Malcomson and Law; settle report, C. and J. Black; summons, J. O'Brien. Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30.—Jackson, minors; Nicholson, a minor, French, solr.; O'Mahony, a minor, Higgins, solr.; Robertson, minors; Dolphin, a minor; Downes, a minor; Page, minors.

ROLLS.—In Chamber.—Beatty v. Beatty; Kearney v. Smyth; Farrell v. Doherty (Burke); same matter and cause (Farrell); Keenan v. Keenan; Charley v. Lewis; Orpen v. Orpen; Martin v. Flanagan; Metropole Hotels Co. (Ireland) and Reduced; Gordon v. Gordon; Doran v. Doran; O'Dea v. Thompson; Courts (E.P.) Acts and Provident Association of London v. Kinch; do. and Belfast Banking Co. v. City and County Building Society; do. and Sargint v. Purcell; do. and Gresham Life Assurance Society v. Stewart; do. and Bank of Ireland v. Gaul; Cruise v. Burke; M'Kenna v. Barrett; Barrett v. Barrett; S. L. Act and Boyle, Molloy v. Plunkett; Mackey v. Mackey; Henry v. Martin; Power v. Department of Agriculture for Ireland; S. L. Act and Jackson; S. L. Act and Moore; S. L. Act and Nagle.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—Motions.—Clinton v. Kirk; Johnston v. Clarke; Cocke's trusts v. Trustee Act; Clarke v. Clarke. At Chambers.—Connors v. Connors; O'Brien v. Connolly; Coldrick v. M'Cullen; Hale v. M'Cracken; Purcell and Guardianship of Infants Act; Butler v. Smyth; O'Connell v. Shannon; Delaney v. Henry; Carrickfergus Presbyterian Congregation and 32 Geo. III.; Beatty v. Moran; M'Minn and Settled Land Acts; Preston v. M'Mahon; Franks Trusts; Keane v. Walsh; Dudgeon v. Atthill; Settled Land Acts and Bullick; Jaffe v. Hamill. For Wednesday. Action.—Johnston v. Johnston. This day. Before the Chief Clerk.—O'Meara v. Freeman's Journal; Dunsayne v. Monypenny; Brien v. Brien; Pim v. Germaine; Hyland v. O'Neill; Cos' Acts and Ennis Gas Consumers' Co.; M'Cabe v. Wade. Before Dr. Webb, 11.30.—Graydon v. Graydon, vch. acct.

TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, 11. Ex parte Taxations.—M'Laughlin v. M'Laughlin, J. Donnelly and Co.; Dalgety v. Donnellan, R. H. Morris; a person of unsound mind, A. Lane Joynt. Master Denning, 11.—Jones trusts and S.L. Acts, Harris and Greene; Rochfort v. Rochfort, W. Fry and Son; Board of Trade to Fry, Wm. Fry and Son. Master Macnamara, 11.—Turkstine's estate, Edwards and Good; do., Miley and Miley; do., Horan and Devine; Hibernian Bank v. Yourell, D. and T. Fitzgerald.

LAND JUDGES.—Mr. Dick, Examiner.—Rev. J. W. R. Campbell, vch.; Marquis Conyngham, do.; Anne Bolton. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner.—M. J. O'Connor, vch. Before Mr. Cruise.—E. Vesey, vch. Receiver Office. Mr. Foot, Examiner, 11. Applns. for Directions.—White v. Power; D. Kelly and others, minors, from 23rd inst. 11.30. Receiver's Acct.—Michael M. L. Apjohn's estate, J. R. Peart.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court I. 11. Crown side. Exparte Motions. For hearing. Cases stated.—J. and R. O'Kane and Co. v. Comrs. of Inland Revenue; M'Laughlin v. Bailey. In Court 2. Ex parte Motions at 11. Summonses.—Wheeler and anot. v. M'Quaid; Preece and anor. v. Wolfe and anor. For argument. New trial motions.—Casey v. Martin; Goldhill v. Gallagher (notice of withdrawal served). Motions on notice.—Smyth v. Smith; Walsh v. Ballina U.D.C.; Robb v. Staples; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Lennon; Whitten and anor. v. Lynch; M'Keown and others v. Hurley; Wynne (Chas.) v. Fairlie; Wynne (Sarah) v. same; Harris v. same; Redmond v. Kavanagh. Before Master Jackson, K.C. At 2.30.—M'Dermott v. National Benefit Life Assce. Co.

HILARY SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—Mr. Justice Kenny. In Nisi Prius Court No. 2, at 11. City Special.—Brinn v. Lyons, O'Brien v. same, at hearing; Fitch v. Whathem; Wallace Brothers v. Boyle. The City Special Jurors sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend this morning in Nisi Prius Court No. 2 at 11 o'clock. The unsworn City Special Jurors are also required to attend this day in Nisi Prius Court No. 2 at 12 o'clock. Before Mr. Justice Moore, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, at 11. City Common.—Hartley v. M'Donagh. The City Common Jurors are required to attend this morning in Nisi Prius Court No. 1 at 11 o'clock. For Wednesday. City Special.—Hearn v. Downes. City Common.—Jones v. Owens. For Thursday. City Special.—Kiernan v. Connolly. City Common.—Halpin v. Halpin.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar or Chief Clerk, at 11.—Meade, pr. dts., E. F. Collins.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Land Purchase Acts. At the Examiners' Chambers, 32 Nassau street. Before Mr. J. Herbert Shaw (Chamber No. 53), at 2.30.—James J. Eivers (E.C. 9466), disch. rulgs. Before Mr. Brady (Chamber No. 52), at 11.30.—H. J. B. Clements (C.D.B. 10,021), disch. rulgs. and settle sched. Before Mr. J. G. Franks (Chamber No. 10), at 11.—T. Leader and anor (E.C. 6075). Before Mr. Wade (Chamber No. 11), at 11.—Louisa Rochfort (E.C. 9498), disch. rulgs.

ADMIRALTY.—Exparte Motions.

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE RECORDER.—At 11.—Irish Assurance Co. v. Norman; Warte v. Mealy; Armstrong v. Dublin Food Supply Co.; Brannigan v. Eustace; Carroll v. Quinn; Dennison v. Creaner; Ellis v. Goode; Fitzgerald v. Coyle; Garde v. Evans; Hill v. Murray; Irwin v. Baird; Baird v. Irwin; Keary v. D.U.T.C.; Lawlor v. Prudential Assce. Co.; M'Carron v. Balrothery Union; O'Grady v. Austin; Rooney v. D.U.T.C.; Slattery v. Coffey.

MARKET REPORTS.

CATTLE.—NORWICH, Saturday.—Fair supply of fat cattle, and quality good, a few beasts being super-graded. Fat sheep were also of good quality, crossbreds making to £6 10/-, Suffolks to £6 15/-, and ewes to £5 5/-. Fat pigs were in small show, and all taken locally. Smaller supply of store cattle, and quality not so good. Trade was slow and dear, prices ranging from £12 10/- to £35. Store sheep were an average entry, and quality was good. Trade was brisk, best animals making to 110/-, and others 40/- to 100/-. Store pigs were in good supply, and sold very dear.

GRAIN.—CARLISLE, Saturday.—Good supply, and fair demand at unchanged prices, viz., 20/- to 21/6 per three imperial bushels.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—Baltic, Saturday.—WHEAT—No allocations made to-day. MAIZE firm; parcels of No. 3 American mixed January-February sold 87/3 per 480lbs. BARLEY firm but quiet; parcels of No. 4 Canada Western January-February sellers 82/6, February-March 81/6, March-April 81/- per 400lbs. OATS steady; Argentine 42lbs. December-January quoted 59/3, January-February 59/3, February-March 58/6, March-April 56/9 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—There were no c.i.f. parcels of wheat put out on sale by the Commission to-day, while maize in the open market was firm, with the full maximum price bidding for River Plate in any position, and American mixed more firmly held, 88/6 per quarter being now wanted for early February shipment. WHEAT on the spot remained quiet, but steady, at yesterday's market currencies. MAIZE—Spot parcels still nominal in the absence of supplies. FLOUR in only moderate request at official prices. Forward positions of BARLEY and OATS were not offered. CHINA HORSE BEANS afloat held at £22 5/- per ton. Imports of grain (cwts.):—To-day—Wheat, 145,902. This week—Wheat, 853,593; maize, 9,844; peas, 1,184; beans, 2,000. This year—Wheat, 2,621,229; flour, 9,202; maize, 15,669; peas, 18,739; beans, 44,955. Last year—Wheat, 1,899,160; flour, 139,047; maize, 191,068; peas, 29,530; beans, 97,700.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.—Little business passing. Good supply of wheat. Prices:—English wheat, 76/6; foreign, 63/-; maize, 76/9; beans, 130/- to 140/-; Scotch oats, 60/- to 62/-; foreign, 59/6 to 61/-; barley, 120/- per quarter; flour, 44/3 per sack.

PROVISIONS—DUBLIN POTATO, Saturday.—Position unchanged. Ample supplies offering, but trade this morning on very narrow lines.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—The market for BACON here continues in the same unsatisfactory position, while cable advices from Chicago show generally easier prices. Recent arrivals from America have been on a liberal scale, and importers are freely supplied with all descriptions, consequently allotments are to be on a reduced basis from next week. Buyers again operate only from hand-to-mouth in the best grades, Wiltshires finding most favour, the depressing factor still being the uncertainty with regard to prices from the end of the month, though a reduction seems to be thought unlikely in most quarters. Poor grades fail to attract attention. Canadian Wiltshires also are less sought after than of late. HAMS in fair request when obtainable alone, but when other meats have to be taken in conjunction buyers are indifferent; short cuts are mainly wanted. Shoulders remain quiet, the limited inquiry experienced being for square cut. LARD on the spot in free supply of American refined, but the demand is disappointing. Raw lard, however, is relatively scarce. Irish and Danish Bacon steady, though Chinese quite neglected. CHEESE moves fairly at 1/5½ per lb. delivered to retailers. BUTTER firm and freely absorbed, especially Danish. EGGS still scarce, though Irish are more freely offered at 50/-, with Canadian 40/-, American 38/- to 39/-, and Egyptian 26/3 per 120. Imports of provisions (cwts.):—To-day—*Bacon, 1; *lard, 1,250. This week—Bacon, 481; *hams, 117; *lard, 1,800. This year—Bacon, 2,949; hams, 894; lard, 11,159; pork, 250; cheese, 43,365; beef, 425; butter, 13,041. Last year—Bacon, 89,162; hams, 1•,861; lard, 58,439; cheese, 555; beef, 275; butter, 112470. *In bacon hams, and lard complete returns are unavailable.

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DUBLIN VEGETABLE AND FRUIT, Saturday.—Irish apples still offering freely. This morning's sale averaged 20/- to 24/6 per barrel, and boxes, 3/6 to 5/6. There was only a moderate market of vegetables in for auction sales. Demand disappointingly slack, especially for sundries. Cabbage, cauliflowers, and Swede turnips lower; still prices must be considered comparatively dear. Cauliflowers, 2/9 to 3/6, 4/-, and selected, 6/- per dozen; Swede turnips, 1/9 to 1/10 per cwt.; white turnips, 6d. to 10d. per bundle; thyme, 3d. to 6d. and 10d. per bunch; York cabbage, 30/- to 35/-, 55/-, 65/-, and 68/- per load; Savoys, 25/-, 44/-, 50/-, 60/- and 65/- per load; celery, 2/3 to 4/- and 4/6 per bundle; carrots, 1/- to 1/9 per dozen bundles; rhubarb, 3/6 and 4/- ditto; parsnips, 7/6 to 8/6 and 9/- per cwt.; sprouts, 2/- to 3/6 and 4/- per float; beet, 4d. to 6d. per dozen; parsley, 1/- to 1/6 per float.

DUBLIN FISH, Saturday.—Fair supplies of fish on market, for which only a moderate trade existed, and prices showed a break on recent dearness. No first quality soles came in, and those of slip size averaged 10/- to 20/- per 9 pairs; brill, 2/- to 4/- each; plaice, on boards, made 4/- to 6/- per 4 for best, and 4/- to 6/- per 4 others; half-boxes of plaice, 30/- to 60/-; codfish, 30/- to 50/-; ling, 30/- to 35/-; ray, 15/- to 25/-; lobsters averaged 10/- to 20/-, 30/-, and 35/- per 13; fresh herrings went up to 32/6.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Saturday.—Supply liberal; moderate trade. Soles, 1/7 to 2/-; slips, 1/6 to 1/10; halibut, 1/4; lemon soles, 1/3; eels, 1/7 per lb.; dories, 9/-; turbot, 15/- to 17/-; brill, 10/- to 16/-; plaice, 10/- to 14/-; cod, 5/- to 8/-; whiting, 4/- to 6/-; hake, 11/3; garnet, 7/- to 8/-; haddocks, 6/- to 8/-; skate wings, 9/- to 10/-; roker wings, 10/- to 12/-; bream, 5/- per stone.

BUTTER—CORK, Saturday.—Firsts, 302/-; fresh butter, 302/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.—LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—COCOA firm, with suitable descriptions in fair request, but scarce. COFFEE—A continued steady tone is being experienced, with values fully maintained, and in some instances slightly dearer. RICE—No releases reported to-day. LINSEED remains firm; R. Plate £42 10/- January-February, and £41 February-March. COTTONSEED firmly held, and there is little offering in any position. HEMP—Manila firm, but without change in values. SAGO FLOUR firm, with sellers of Sarawak in store at 34/- to 34/6, and for shipment parcels c.i.f. 33/6 to 34/- per cwt. JAPANESE FARINA scarce spot, and held for 42/6 to 43/6, with afloat quoted at 40/6 per cwt. c.i.f. RANGOON BEANS move off quietly, but little change is recorded for white hand-picked on spot. JAPANESE PEAS slow of sale, but 39/6 repeated for store lots, and 42/- to 42/6 c.i.f. for new crop to arrive. RICE BRAN inactive; spot £16 15/- ex quay terms, and forward £16 per ton ex ship terms. PALM KERNEL OIL quiet; Liverpool extracted £105, and crushed £108 per ton, ex mills. HONEY steady; pile one Chilian spot 95/- per cwt., nominal value. CALABAR BEANS—Sales on spot made at 8d. per lb. PALM OIL—A rather steadier tone prevails, with more inquiry, but no sales recorded to-day. PALM KERNELS quiet; spot values £45 10/- per ton. TALLOW firm, at full rates, but rather quiet. DYEWOODS—Logwood and fustic in quiet request, but spot rates repeated. GAMBIER well held, and block quoted 51/- to 52/6 on spot, and 50/- c.i.f. for shipment, with cubes in the former position, 70/- and 57/6 per cwt for No. 1 and No. 2 qualities, respectively. CUTCH—Only a very moderate inquiry for spot, but quotation unaltered. GUM moves off slowly, but Arabic descriptions on spot unchanged. RUBBER—Para quietly steady; hard fine on spot 2/7½ per lb. CASTOR OIL steady; English £99 pharmacy, £96 firsts, and £94 per ton seconds, ex mills, barrels free, and moderate demand experienced. SEED OILS firm; Liverpool linseed 110/-, and deodorised cottonseed 130/- per cwt., both naked, ex mills. ROSIN very firm, and full rates quoted American grades. TURPENTINE quiet; American on spot 190/- per cwt. PETROLEUM OILS in steady demand, with sellers of American refined at 1/8½ to 1/9½ per gallon on spot in barrels. NITRATE OF SODA in good demand, chiefly for export, and spot parcels held for £22 15/- to £23 5/- per ton.

LONDON, Saturday.—Markets were thinly attended as usual at the week-end, and only a limited trade passed, prices with few exceptions showing no material alteration. SUGAR, RICE, COFFEE, and SPICE remained unaltered. JUTE—Market steady with a fair inquiry; native first marks assortment actuals January-February quoted £65, ditto substitutes £59, and Daisee No. 2 association group £55 10/- per ton. Calcutta Hessians and twills quietly steady. HEMP—Manila grades quietly steady; J quality January-March sellers £66 10/-, with undergrades in proportion; New Zealand points spot £57 and January-March £53 10/- per ton. SHELLAC—Spot steady; fair T.N. quoted 660/-, futures flat, and May delivery sold 745/- per cwt. COPRA steadier; to London, sundried Straits January-March quoted £70, do. Rotterdam buyers £71 10/-, ditto Antwerp £71, and F.M. Marseilles quoted £72 10/-. PALM KERNELS March-May sellers £41 10/- per ton. RUBBER—Moderate sales, and market firmer; plantation standard crepe spot sold 2/8, February-March 2/8½; sheet spot 2/8½, February-March 2/8½; crepe and sheet April-June 2/9½, July-December 2/9½; wild sorts quiet, and fine hard Para spot quoted 2/7½ per lb. OILS—Market generally quiet and prices mostly unaltered. Linseed oil firm; spot and naked quoted 108/-, February-April 107/-, May-August 104/- paid. Turpentine—American spot 1/9, water white 1/10 per gallon. Rosin unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed market firm but quiet; Argentine January-February sold £42 10/-, February-March sellers £40 15/-, March-April £40 5/-, April-May £40 ton; Indian largely nominal; Calcutta January-February quoted £51 10/-, Bombay £53 per ton; other descriptions unaltered.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Saturday.—Market is closed.

WOOL.—LEICESTER, Saturday.—Trade continues much on the same lines as of recent weeks. Few transactions are taking place in English wools locally. As far as can be ascertained, finer wools are a shade dearer, and low class a shade cheaper, but the sales are too few to give a ruling indication as to the market generally. Hosiery manufacturers are again complaining regarding the shortage of fine yarns, which are most needed, as the public demand is for the first quality underclothing. Spinners are booked up well ahead.

LARGE MEAT IMPORTS.

There was a large increase in the supply of fresh meat imported into Liverpool and Manchester during the past week from Australian and North and South American ports. Seven steamers arrived with freights as follows:—The Gallic, from Australia, with 53,489 sheep and lamb carcases, 1,303 packages, etc., of meat, and 21,734 qrs. of beef; the Surrey, at Manchester, from Australia, with 231,793 sheep and lamb carcases; the Sutherland Grange, from the River Plate, with 56,251 qrs. of beef; the Belgic, from New York, with 5,802 carcases of pork; the Haverford, from Philadelphia, with 4,150 boxes of meat; the Celtic, from New York, with 1,963 carcases of pork, 444 boxes of meat, and a large quantity of offals; and the Dominion, from Portland, Me, with 5,064 boxes of meat, making a total of 284,282 sheep and lamb carcases, 7,765 carcases of pork, 10,960 boxes, etc., of meat, and 77,985 qrs. of beef. Compared with the imports of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 136,817 sheep and lamb carcases, 7,765 carcases of pork, 9,808 boxes of meat, and 35,400 qrs. of beef.

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Gaiety Theatre—"Old King Cole," 7.30 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"The Shaughraun," 6.30 and 8.45.
Empire Theatre—"Cinderella," 6.40 and 8.40 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
The Irish Theatre, Hardwicke Street—"The Cherry Orchard," 8 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—Continuous
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous
Rathmines Town Hall—Pictures.
Carlton Cinema—Continuous.
Masterpiece Picture Theatre—Continuous.
Sackville Picture House—Continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Kingstown Picture House—3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
R.D.S.—Recital of Classical Music, 4 p.m.
Hibernian Banking Co.—Meeting, 1 p.m.
Rotary Club Luncheon—Gresham Hotel, 1.15.
Elysée Dances—Aft. Tea Dance, 3-6; Ev., 8.30-1.30—(Advt.)
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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A depression centred south of Iceland is extending its influence over the British Isles generally. South-westerly to westerly gales will be experienced in most of our western and northern districts. The weather will be generally unsettled.

Ireland.—Wind between south and west, strong to a gale, overcast, rain at times, fairer intervals probable, later squally, visibility fair, mild, perhaps becoming colder.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.
To-day....Morning 2.21 Evening 2.43
To-morrow " 3. 6 " 3.32

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.
To-day.....Rises ... 8.21 Sets 4.55
To-morrow " ... 8.19 " 4.57
LIGHTING-UP TIME .... 5.55 P.M.

The Irish Times.

MONDAY, JANUARY 26, 1920.

It is reported that, after their victory at Reshitza, the Latvian Army are pressing the Bolsheviks eastward on the whole front. There are rumours of a revolt of the Red garrison in Moscow.

Reuter understands that the Dutch reply to the Allies' request for the extradition of the ex-Kaiser is not regarded as final. It is expected that further negotiations will take place on the subject.

M. Millerand presided at the inaugural meeting of the Reparations Commission in Paris on Saturday.

Mr. Asquith's letter acknowledging the invitation to contest Paisley was received by the Secretary of the local Liberal Association on Saturday. The campaign will open to-day, when meetings will be held on behalf of the Unionist, Liberal, and Labour candidates.

The death occurred at his London residence on Saturday morning of Lord Plunket. He was Governor-General of New Zealand from 1904 to 1910, and had served in various diplomatic positions. He took no public part in politics, but was keenly interested as a Conservative in the affairs of his native Ireland.

A proclamation issued by command of the Lord Lieutenant was posted in Dublin last night. It offers a reward of £10,000 for information which will lead to the conviction of the perpetrators of any of the recent murders of police officers and men in Ireland. A further reward of £1,000 is offered for such secret information as shall be calculated to lead to the same result.

A verdict of wilful murder against unknown persons was returned at the inquest in Dublin on Saturday on Constable Finnegan, who was shot at Thurles on last Tuesday night. The jury strongly condemned the outrage.

Baltinglass Police Barrack, County Wicklow, was attacked by armed men on Saturday evening at seven o'clock, and two of the constables were wounded. The raiders did not attempt to capture the barrack, and retreated after they had fired on the constables. One of the latter is so seriously injured that he has been removed to Dublin for treatment.

Forty men attacked Murroe Police Barrack, in County Limerick, on Saturday, having previously cut all the telegraph wires and blocked the roads with fallen trees. The eight policemen in the station vigorously replied to the fire of the raiders, who retired after an unsuccessful attempt to blow up the barrack.

A revolting outrage is reported to have been perpetrated in the village of Glencuttane (Co. Kerry) on Wednesday night, when the house of Timothy Mangan was invaded by masked and armed men. Mangan was bound, and portion of both ears cut off with a shears. Mrs. Mangan, who was present, had a quantity of her hair cut off in her efforts to save her husband. Ten men were arrested in connection with the crime, and were remanded till Friday next to Killarney.

Terrorism in Ireland.

On Saturday night the progress of the terror campaign in Ireland was marked by two further outrages which must horrify all decent men. On the arrival of the evening train in Baltinglass, in the County Wicklow, a little girl called as usual to the police barrack with the newspapers. As soon as the door was opened a number of masked men rushed up and began a determined attack. Constable McGlynn was wounded in the spine, his injuries being so serious that, on the advice of a distinguished surgeon, he was conveyed to Mercer's Hospital yesterday by a special train. Constable McPartlin also was wounded, but fortunately escaped dangerous injury. The outrage was characterised by all the determination and thoroughness which stamp the campaign. All the telegraph wires were cut, and even the railway block system was dislocated, so that Baltinglass was virtually isolated from the outside world. The other outrage was just as determined, although, luckily, it was not attended by such serious results. At the little village of Murroe, about eight miles north-east of the city of Limerick, a gang of from forty to fifty armed men made a fierce onslaught on the local barracks. A frenzied bombardment, which, it is stated, lasted for nearly one and a half hours, was resisted with vigour by the inhabitants of the barrack, one of whom, a sergeant, was ill at the time, but nevertheless fought with his comrades until the attackers were out to flight. Here, again, the raid seems to have been planned with the utmost thoroughness. Although the assailants seem to have had no lack of arms and ammunition, and even tried to wreck the barracks by means of an explosive, none of the gallant defenders was injured.

These two outrages, following hot on the heels of a dozen others, are alarming symptoms of the epidemic of lawlessness which is manifesting itself throughout the land. The state of Ireland is appalling. Crime begets crime, and outrage follows outrage in terrifying succession. Murder has become a commonplace, and the life of a policeman a thing of no account. The apparent immunity of criminals has removed the last barrier between Ireland and the forces of destruction, and the mind shudders at the thought of what may happen next. On Thursday, about six miles from Killorglin, in County Kerry, an unfortunate farmer was horribly mutilated by a gang of masked men in the presence of his horror-stricken wife. Both his ears were cut off, and he was beaten mercilessly by his brutal and savage assailants. Lawlessness has become so general that "ordinary" crime has almost ceased to arouse the interest of those whose country's name is being dragged in the dirt, but even the most apathetic and thoughtless man in Ireland must stand aghast at the shocking outrage at Killorglin. Will the Irish people stand this condition of affairs much longer? Every instinct of Christian manhood revolts at the very thought of such iniquity; but still the terror has fixed its tentacles so firmly over our country that few dare to utter the disgust and horror which gnaw at their souls. At Thurles Cathedral yesterday the Most Rev. Dr. Harty, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Cashel, denounced the murder of the late Constable Finnegan. We welcome his vigorous condemnation of a brutal crime, but regret that he should have thought fit to couple it with his condemnation of the subsequent action of the police. In the one case a police constable was foully murdered, without provocation and without cause. In the other case the police seem to have taken unwarrantable reprisals, which we do not seek to defend; but nobody was injured, the most extreme provocation must be admitted, and the incident is unique in the splendid record of a brave and sorely harassed body of men.

If the members of the English Labour deputation at present in Ireland are sincere men, they must recognise that, for the moment, the Irish Government has only one duty. The sanctions of the law must be restored. To-day the whole countryside is delivered into the hands of gangs of desperate men, who are a law unto themselves, and openly defy the Commandments of the Almighty God. Mr. Henderson and his colleagues have come to Ireland in search of knowledge. Two loyal servants of the Crown have been done to death since their arrival, and the outrages at Baltinglass and Murroe provide further instances—if such be necessary—of the state of moral chaos into which Southern Ireland has fallen. The Labour deputation may find much to criticise in Ireland. Criticism, however, is of no avail unless it be constructive criticism. Will Mr. Henderson and his colleagues take their stand upon the ground of an "Independent Irish Republic"; or will they insist that law and order shall be restored? They bear a heavy responsibility, no less to the Irish people than to the British nation. We believe that the Irish Government is doing its best to combat the ever-increasing forces of lawlessness and crime which are devastating Ireland. Does the English Labour Party consider that the Government should do more, or will it have the hardihood to suggest that it should do less? These are questions the answers to which will be awaited with anxiety by every law-abiding subject of the King. Until the Irish people asserts its civilisation and cleanses its country from the smirch of anarchy no power on earth can help it to that state of peace and happiness which can only be of its own making.

America's Next President.

The "booming," as they say in America, of Mr. Hoover for next President of the United States will revive, to some extent, Europe's flagging interest in the attitude of the United States towards the League of Nations. Mr. Hoover does not appear to have decided definitely to present himself as a candidate for the Presidency, but a movement in that direction is already manifesting itself. It seems likely that Mr. Hoover, who is a patriotic, though by no means an ambitious, man, will accept nomination if the call upon him is sufficiently insistent. It is a duty that he might be excused for shirking, but for the very reason that he is the most modest of men, Mr. Hoover, in making his decision, is not in the least likely to allow personal considerations to weigh with him. So little has this able mining engineer and geologist interested himself in American politics that it is not even known whether he professes to be a Democrat, a Republican, or a Progressive. This is not wholly to be wondered at, seeing that he has not resided in America for twenty years. It is this fact that his opponents will most loudly invoke, are, in fact, already invoking, for it appears that Senator Reed has "attacked" Mr. Hoover in the Senate, declaring scornfully that his residence abroad "fitted him to co-operate as President with the British League of Nations." Nevertheless, any of the three parties would probably be glad to accept him as their official nominee, for the simple reason that all the available candidates at their disposal seem to be of no great ability or worth. The Republicans' best man, General Leonard Wood, is an aged militarist, with no particular reputation even in his own profession for executive ability. He takes the soldiers' view of the League of Nations. The best choice of the Democrats is Mr. McAdoo, the President's son-in-law. He is an able business man and a strong supporter of the League of Nations, but he must reckon with the impossible William Jennings Bryan, who, though he cannot get himself elected, can easily kill Mr. McAdoo's chances. Even Mr. Bryan would hesitate to oppose himself as a rival to the candidature of Mr. Hoover, who, he well knows, will command a class of votes that he himself can never hope to touch. There is a third possibility. Mr. Hoover, though born in Iowa, is by education and early training a Californian. He might prefer to stand, if at all, as a Progressive candidate. But here he would have the opposition of Governor Johnson, who, owing no doubt, to the anti-Japanese sentiment prevailing on the Pacific coast, professes opposition to the League of Nations. Mr. Hoover's weakness, as has been pointed out, is that he has lived twenty out of his forty-five years in the British Empire. If the United States desires to immerse itself once more in its own affairs a Lowden or Harding or Palmer will make as good a President as the next. But if the American people really desire to take their just place and partnership among the overburdened, but still hopeful, nations, whose efforts to hold the world in equilibrium has cost them so dear, then they could demand no abler standard-bearer than Herbert Clark Hoover.

A Financial Fallacy.

The Wigan Town Council claims to have found a panacea for its financial difficulties. All that the Council requires is permission to issue paper currency on the security of the rates and the municipal property. This, it is explained with disarming candour, will enable the Council to obtain money without paying interest. The scheme, of course, is absurd, and it has not even got the merit of originality. It has been mooted at different periods during the past two centuries, but has never worked satisfactorily. If the necessary authority were given to the Wigan Council, it could not be withheld from other bodies, and the result would be financial chaos. Inflated currency lies at the root of the world's economic ills, and it is one of the most baffling problems with which statesmen have to deal. The Chancellor of the Exchequer has just made a small attempt to introduce remedial measures, and he is not likely to waste much sympathy upon a proposal which would perpetuate and aggravate the evil. What Wigan asks is that the rest of the country shall subscribe, through higher prices and a further depreciated currency, to pay its debts. The Labour members who promoted the scheme must learn that no financial juggling will enable them to escape the raising of loans for the reforms they contemplate.

The Motor Industry.

The British motor industry is undergoing a revolution. Gradually it is being merged in a few powerful groups which have joint interests, ample capital, and huge standardised outputs. Many may regret the disappearance of individual firms, but it is inevitable. It has been evident for some years that the industry could not survive if it were not reorganised on the American principle. Already the United States has a virtual monopoly in many of the world's markets, and, without combination, the British industry could not hope to secure for itself even a portion of the trade. Recently several firms have amalgamated to form one huge company with a capital of over £6,000,000, and now it is reported that another group has been formed with a capital of £4,000,000. These concerns will not merely control subsidiary companies which specialise in the production of particular parts, but they will be able to secure supplies of raw material when the private manufacturer cannot obtain them. The work in every factory will proceed without interruption, and the cost of production will be reduced to the *minimum*.

COURT CIRCULAR.

VICEREGAL LODGE, DUBLIN.
SATURDAY, 24TH JANUARY.

Major-General H. Boyd had the honour of being invited to luncheon with His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant at the Viceregal Lodge to-day.

Captain H. Furber, 3rd Battalion Welsh Regiment, had the honour of being invited to dine with His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant at the Viceregal Lodge this evening.

SUNDAY.

The Dean of the Chapel Royal, the Rev. Canon Day, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McNeile, and Miss McNeile had the honour of being invited to lunch with His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant at the Viceregal Lodge to-day.

GENERAL SIR IAN HAMILTON RETIRES.

In a supplement to the *London Gazette*, dated January 22nd, 1920, the following announcement appears:—Memorandum—General Sir I. S. M. Hamilton, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., D.S.O., retires on retired pay.

THE MURDER OF MR. REDMOND.

THE KING'S SYMPATHY.

The following is a copy of a message of sympathy relative to the death of Mr. Redmond, Assistant Commissioner, Dublin Metropolitan Police, which has been sent by His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant to Mrs. Redmond:—"I have it in command to convey to you and the members of your late husband's family the sympathy of His Majesty the King, in the terrible loss you have sustained."

SERBIAN DECORATION FOR AN IRISH OFFICER.

The Order of the White Eagle has been conferred by the Serbian Government on Captain W. G. Wilkinson, Royal Army Service Corps, Mechanical Transport Section, for services rendered in connection with the operations of the Allied armies in Serbia. He joined the Army in 1915, although at that time well over military age, and served for three years on the Serbian front. Captain Wilkinson is the Irish manager of the Rover Company. He was demobilised in December last, and has now taken up his civilian duties.

On Saturday evening, at the Dolphin Hotel, Dublin, Captain W. G. Wilkinson, late Royal Army Service Corps, Mechanical Transport Section, was entertained to a welcome-home dinner by a number of his friends. Mr. J. Moran, J.P., T.C., occupied the chair, and, after the toast of "The King" had been drunk and musically honoured, he proposed the toast of "Our Guest." Mr. Moran said that before being appointed to a commission in the Army Captain Wilkinson was rejected on several occasions. He was ultimately appointed, and on the Serbian front, on which he served for a period of three years without once returning home, he rendered such valuable services to the cause of the Allies that the Serbian Government had just conferred on him one of its most coveted decorations.

The toast was supported by Mr. J. C. Percy, J.P., and Mr. [illegible]. G. Doig. The toast having been honoured, Mr. Moran asked Captain Wilkinson to accept on behalf of his wife a piece of silver as an evidence of the fact that the part she played in the war was recognised by her husband's friends.

Captain Wilkinson suitably replied. The health of the Chairman was proposed by Mr. W. Hunter.

INDUSTRIAL COURTS ACT, 1919.

The Secretary, Ministry of Labour, announces that the following additional Chairmen have been appointed to the Industrial Court:—Sir William Robinson, J.P., and Right Hon. Sir Dunbar Plunket Barton, Bart., P.C.

Sir William Robinson is a member of the Senate of Trinity College, Dublin, and also of the Senate of Cambridge University. He was appointed Clerk of the Crown for Roscommon in 1891, and in the following year was appointed Clerk of the Crown and Peace and Registrar of Titles for the same county, a post which he occupied until 1913. He has dealt with a large number of arbitration cases for the Ministry of Labour.

Sir D. Plunket Barton was called to the Irish Bar in 1880 and to the English Bar in 1893. He took silk in 1889, and held the office of Solicitor-General for Ireland from 1898 to 1900. From 1891 to 1900 he sat in Parliament for Mid Armagh in the Conservative interest. He was a Judge of the High Court of Justice in Ireland from 1900 to 1917, a Judge of the King's Bench Division from 1900 to 1904, and a Judge of the Chancery Division from 1904 to 1917. He has acted as arbitrator in a great many cases in Dublin and other parts of Ireland on behalf of the Ministry of Labour.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

With the definite acceptance by Mr. Asquith of the invitation of the Paisley Liberal Association there opens one of the most remarkable electoral contests in the history of politics. It would have been sufficiently interesting even if the local Unionists had not insisted upon running a candidate, for the contest would then have been a straight fight between old-fashioned Liberalism and the rising force of Labour, and must have resulted in a severe set-back to one or the other. In fact, a defeat for the ex-Premier in such conditions would have sounded the death-knell of the kind of Liberalism that has dominated our politics for the best part of the last century.

The intervention of the local Unionists has obviated that danger. They are, of course, quite within their rights, although I am afraid, having regard to Paisley's past record, that there is little hope of Mr. McKean's heading the poll. But, whatever happens, they have provided both the other candidates with an easy excuse for failure. Worse still, they have made it possible for Mr. Asquith to avoid that clear statement of the essential differences between the Liberal and Labour doctrines which he would otherwise have had to make. Now he can always, when approaching a dangerous breach with Labour, take refuge in an attack upon the Coalition.

Lord Birkenhead, who returns to the charge in the *Weekly Dispatch* to-day, would, doubtless, quote the situation at Paisley as a proof of the drawbacks attendant on the anomalous constitution of the Coalition. The leaders, he says, have in reality effected a fusion of view, but no simplification or adaptation has been attempted of their pre-war equipment in the country. Where there should be one organisation there are two. The minds of the local organisers in the constituencies are still far too intent on maintaining a separate interest which, in the actual conditions of the moment, has ceased to possess the slightest importance, to rally on behalf of a cause which will engage the rest of our lives, and upon the solution of which the questions, and even the existence, of the British Empire depends." That cause, he makes it clear, is resistance to the overweening demands of the Labour Party, and he prophesies that, within five years, all his critics, save those who belong to the Socialist Party, will have ranged themselves with him in the new party—call it National, Constitutional, or People's, party.

It has been suggested that Lord Birkenhead is inspired by the Prime Minister. But his latest utterance, with its uncompromising note of defiance to Labour, makes the suggestion improbable. Mr. Lloyd George is not in the habit of jumping his fences before he comes to them. I fancy if the truth were known he is very little perturbed by the criticisms of the Coalition, whether they proceed from its critics or its adherents. For the moment, it is an instrument fitted to his hand. When it ceases to be so he will fashion another.

Having had a consultation with Captain Guest, the Chief Liberal Coalition Whip, the Premier and Mr. Bonar Law yesterday had a further one with Lord Edmund Talbot. Mr. Lloyd George has not yet made any appointment for public speeches before Parliament reassembles, and Mr. Bonar Law will not address any meetings. The suggestion of a Coalition meeting to be addressed by the Prime Minister is one which appears to have come from himself. But if members of both Houses are to attend such a meeting it will not be called probably till Parliament is in session. There is no reason for hurrying negotiations for closer and more permanent bonds between the two wings of the Coalition. But the speeches of Mr. Balfour and Sir George Younger show that the elder Unionists are not averse from the proposal to continue the Coalition. Ministerial reconstruction may come later in the spring, after the Turkish Peace Treaty is signed. But, whatever happens, it is not likely that Mr. Bonar Law will be found in opposition to Mr. Lloyd George.

The Lord Chancellor makes another public utterance to-day of a less controversial kind in his charming and erudite letter of congratulation to Lord Halsbury on the seventieth anniversary of his call to the Bar. Lord Chancellors are a long-lived race, as the list of Lord Halsbury's predecessors shows, the reason, no doubt, being that only a man of exceptional physique can stand the exertion of the climb to these high legal altitudes, but Lord Halsbury has excelled them all both in length of days—he will be 95 in September—and continuous practice of his profession. He was called two years before Mr. Asquith was born, and quite recently assisted Lord Birkenhead by calling his attention to a point arising out of a case in which he was engaged forty-six years ago.

The Prince of Wales called at Downing street yesterday, and had a long talk with the Prime Minister discussing details of his coming Empire tour, which he expects will keep him away from this country a great deal longer than did his American trip. I hear that Mr. Lloyd George sees no prospect at all of getting away himself for a trip, either to the Dominions or America, as to the latter matter of which he has a long-standing invitation. He is hardly likely to go while he remains in office.

The first meeting of the Roads Advisory Committee, constituted under Section 22 of the Ministry of Transport Act, 1919 is to be held at 3 p.m. on Thursday, February 5th, at the Ministry of Transport, 7 Whitehall Gardens. In accordance with the terms of the Act, the Committee consists of eleven members, five of whom are representative of highway authorities, five are representative of users of horse and mechanical road traffic, and one is a representative of Labour. The representatives of Ireland on the Committee are Mr. P. J. O'Neill, J.P., Irish County Councils General Council, and Mr. Edward White, Royal Irish Automobile Club. One of the first questions to be submitted for the consideration of the Committee will be that of the classification of the roads of the country. The work of classification was begun by the Road Board in 1914, but was interrupted by the outbreak of war, and has now to be considered afresh.

In view of the special circumstances of Ireland, the Minister of Transport has decided to appoint an Irish Road Advisory Sub-Committee, on which the two representatives of Ireland on the main committee will serve. The other members of this Sub-Committee will be as follows:—Colonel R. G. Sharman-Crawford, D.L., J.P., Down County Council; Mr. John McGarry, J.P., Mayo County Council; Mr. Thomas Duggan, J.P., North Tipperary County Council; Mr. R. M. Butler, Ulster Farmers' Union; Mr. R. J. Quigley, representative of county surveyors of Ireland; Mr. M. A. Robinson, M.I.C.E., representative of borough and urban district council engineers of Ireland. The first meeting of the Irish Sub-Committee will be convened shortly after the first meeting of the main Committee.

THE "OFFICERS' FRIEND."

Lieutenant-Colonel Holmes-Wilson, "Officers' Friend," Ministry of Pensions, Ireland, South Region, will be present at the Imperial Hotel, Waterford, on Wednesday, 28th January, 1920, from 10 to 1 and from 2 to 3, with a view to interviewing and assisting officers, ex-officers, and the dependents of deceased officers, who want advice in regard to getting their claims to pensions and gratuities settled. The headquarters of the Officers' Friend Branch, Ireland, South Region, are 41 Upper Fitzwilliam street, Dublin, to which all correspondence should be addressed.

The death occurred suddenly at Nottingham yesterday of Mr. H. A. S. Grant, editor of the *Nottingham Journal*. He was about sixty-five.

DEATH OF LORD PLUNKET.

We deeply regret to announce the death of Lord Plunket, which occurred on Saturday at his London residence, 40 Elvaston place, S.W. He had been in indifferent health for some time back, suffering from lung trouble. The late nobleman was the fifth baron, and had a distinguished lineage. The first Lord Plunket received his title in recognition of his legal eminence and his great eloquence. He was the son of a Dublin Presbyterian divine. The second baron was Lord Bishop of Tuam, Killala, and Achonry; the third was a lawyer of distinction; and the fourth baron was Lord Plunket, sometime Archbishop of Dublin and father of the late peer.

Lord Plunket was educated first at Harrow and afterwards at T.C.D., where he graduated. In early life he entered the diplomatic service, and served as Attaché both at Constantinople and at Rome. For six years, from 1904 to 1910, he was Governor-General of New Zealand, where he was immensely popular with all classes. It is interesting to note that another Irish nobleman, Lord Ranfurly, also filled the same post. Lord Plunket was still a man of middle age, having been born in 1864. In 1897 he succeeded his father, having three years previously married Lady Victoria Alexandrina Blackwood, youngest daughter of the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava. Three sons and five daughters were born of this marriage. The eldest son, the Hon. Terence Conyngham, who only reached his majority two years since, now succeeds to the title.

The late Lord Plunket was well known in Dublin. He served as Private Secretary to two Lords Lieutenant, and for many years resided at Old Connaught House, Bray. He was a man who preferred private to public life. His opinions were always strongly Conservative, but he took no platform part in politics. Like his father, he was a genuine Irishman, and proved his love for his country by living in it and assisting every effort that was brought under his notice which could benefit his native land. His death will be regarded as almost a calamity in and around Bray. Lord Plunket was a nephew of the Earl of Iveagh and first cousin of Sir Plunket Barton, Bart. He was created K.C.M.G. in 1905, G.C.M.G. 1910, K.C.V.O. and K.B.E. 1918. He was a D.L. and J.P. for the County Dublin, and also held the Commission of the Peace for the County Wicklow. The present Bishop of Meath is a younger brother of the deceased peer. A reference to any of the standard works on the Peerage will show the extraordinary number of the Plunket family who have achieved fame in every walk of life. Lord Plunket's mother was daughter of Sir Benjamin Lee Guinness and sister of Lord Ardilaun and Viscount Iveagh; thus he was connected with Ireland on both sides of his parentage. He had only left Bray for less than a month, and the news of his death will come as a painful surprise to most people. His remains will not be brought to Ireland, but will be interred at Putney Vale on Wednesday at noon.

DEATH OF MR. PERCY FRENCH.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Percy French, which occurred on Saturday at the house of a friend in Liverpool, will be received with feelings of deep regret by all to whom his entertainments afforded unalloyed pleasure throughout the United Kingdom. His health had been failing for some time past, and eventually pneumonia developed and proved fatal. Mr. French was the second son of Mr. Christopher French, D.L., of Cloonaquin, Co. Roscommon. He was a graduate of Trinity College, and for some years practised the profession of engineer; but his tastes lay in another direction, and gradually he adopted the profession of public entertainer. He had a fund of quiet humour which found an appropriate outlet in his sketches and songs. The songs which formed part of his entertainment were all of his own composition, and some of them, such as "The Mountains of Mourne," are likely to be popular for many years to come. The vocal portion of his entertainment was invariably taken by Mr. French himself, and while he sang he played the banjo as an accompaniment. It was a testimony to his versatile attainments that, without any other aid than that of a lady who presided at the piano, he could hold for two hours the undivided attention of his patrons. He was disposed occasionally to satirise different classes of society, but it was done in a humorous way, creating only amusement without causing bitterness or resentment. Mr. French was not only a writer of excellent verse, but he was also noted as a lightning cartoonist and water-colour artist. He painted a series of Irish landscapes for the late King Edward, by whom they were much appreciated. He was a regular contributor to some comic papers, and he also wrote special articles for the *Motor News*, to which his last contribution took the form of a parody on "The Arab's Farewell to His Steed." Some years ago his name was added as a pensioner to the Civil List. He was twice married, and leaves three daughters.

AN APPRECIATION.

(From a Correspondent.)

The death of Percy French will come as a shock not only to the very wide circle of personal friends, to whom his personality, his humour, his gay and courageous spirit had endeared him, but to that still wider circle of friends who were his audiences. He had the uncommon gift of making friends of those whom he entertained; they were at home with him in a moment. The divine gift of laughter was his to give, and his wit had never a trace of bitterness. A true lover of his country, his delicate humour never jarred on the most sensitive, in a land where sensitiveness to anything approaching ridicule has almost become a vice. His audiences realised that his jests were but the gentle mockery of a lover for the foibles of a well-beloved mistress. The very spirit of comedy breathes from his songs; their quaint and original turns of phrase, their inimitable atmosphere have made them popular in all parts of the world where Irishmen are gathered together.

There are few men to whom it is given to excel in more than one form of art, but Percy French was the exception to the rule, and many people will think of him mainly as a water-colour painter of rare charm. He himself preferred painting to writing as a means of expression, and he was never happier than when, with his brushes and colours, he evoked some memory of the light breaking over distant hills with a stretch of bogland in the foreground, or of a lonely seashore, with weed-covered rocks, round which the seagulls hover. Slight as are many of these sketches, they are imbued with something of the spirit of the land he loved. His painting, no less than his writing, was inspired by a deep affection for Ireland.

Percy French was the most industrious of men. He never seemed to rest. In railway trains, on steamers, in the houses of his friends, he painted and wrote under conditions which would have been impossible for most people, but for him seemed easy and natural. It is hard to realise that this dauntless spirit, who mocked at time and age, has gone from us. Of him it may truly be said: "Whom the gods love, die young."

THE TRINITY COLLEGE WAR MEMORIAL.

The Executive Committee of the T.C.D. War Memorial, appointed at the recent public meeting, have been busily engaged in making preliminary arrangements for the issue of circulars to all members and friends of Dublin University wherever they are to be found. A general Committee of over 400 representative men and women has been formed, with the power of adding to their number. Incidentally, it may be mentioned that, in response to the circular issued to those only who were invited to join this Committee, subscriptions amounting to £2,421 11s. have already been recorded, although a large number of circulars addressed to persons in foreign countries cannot even as yet have reached their destination.

The first list of subscriptions will be issued in the course of a few days, and as the Executive Committee are anxious to include in this list as many as possible of those to whom the preliminary circular was addressed, they hope to receive further contributions before the close of the present month.

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CONSECRATION OF BISHOP-ELECT OF TUAM.

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PEACE PROBLEMS.

REPARATIONS COMMISSION.

M. MILLERAND'S SPEECH.

This afternoon, says Reuter's Paris Correspondent in a message dated Saturday, M. Millerand, Premier, presided over the inaugural ceremony of the Reparations Commission at the Hotel Astoria. In opening the proceedings, he pointed out that nothing which bore on reparation for duamage caused by the war to Allied and Associated nations was outside the scope of their powers. They were to determine by May 1, 1921, the total of reparations to be made by Germany—viz., the amount of credit, the handing over of vessels and all requisites for the reconstruction of the devastated districts, the distribution of coal and by-products, the settlement of all financial and economic questions raised in the execution of the Treaties bearing upon Germany's ability to pay. Justice, equality, and good faith would be their sole inspiration and guide. Peoples who had paid for their heroic resistance to barbarism and crime with so much misery and devastation had their eyes fixed on that Commission. That the blood and lives of their sons had not been offered in vain depended to a great extent on the application the Commission brought to bear on the enormous task confronting them, on their perspicacity in countering the tricks to which the debtor might have recourse, and the Commissioners' firmness in exacting the complete discharge of the obligations, which fell far short of the damage suffered.

Signor Bertolini, Italian delegate, replied, and the Premier then withdrew.

M. Jonnart, French delegate, was elected President of the Commission, Signor Bertolini Vice-President, and Mr. Salter, British delegate, Secretary-General.

SUPREME WAR COUNCIL.

A Reuter's message, dated Paris, Sunday, says:—A decree has been published reorganising the Supreme War Council, which will be composed of all the Marshals and ten Divisional Generals, presided over by a Marshal or a Divisional General. The President of the Republic will be empowered to convene and preside over the Supreme War Council.

AMERICAN SENATORS AND THE PEACE TREATY.

A Washington telegram, dated Saturday, says:—Eight Republican Senators, headed by Senators Borah and Johnson, and claiming to represent other Senators, conferred with Senator Lodge yesterday evening and presented him with what is declared to be an ultimatum against the proposed compromise regarding the reservations to the Peace Treaty, thus giving the compromise negotiations a severe set-back. It is stated that Mr. Lodge assured the Senators with whom he conferred that no definite agreement had been made in the Inter-Party Conferences, and that all the discussions had been tentative.

KIEL COMMAND AND THE NAVAL COMMISSION.

A German semi-official statement issued in Berlin on Friday records the arrival at Kiel of the Allied Naval Commission from Heligoland, and goes on to quote an order issued by the Baltic Station Command, which runs:—Several *Entente* Commissions will, in the near future, be present in the stations of this sphere. I hereby expressly forbid those under my command to enter into any kind of communication with foreign officers or men, except where ordered or authorised to do so. The pride and dignity of every German requires this reserve.

THE EX-KAISER.

DUTCH REPLY NOT FINAL.

FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS.

Reuter understands that the view in well-informed quarters is that the reply now in Paris of the Netherlands Government to the Allied Note regarding the ex-Kaiser, must not be regarded as an end of this matter. The Dutch answer is not altogether a surprise. In fact, there was every indication that it would be as it is. This reply will certainly first be considered by the Supreme Council in Paris, or its successor, and will form the subject of fresh negotiations between the Netherlands and the Allies. What form these will take will be a matter for various legal advisers to determine. In any case, it must not be supposed that the present phase will be allowed to be the final one.

FRENCH OPINION.

Writing from Paris on Saturday, Reuter's Correspondent says—Considerable difference of opinion prevails here as to the next step to be taken in view of Holland's refusal to surrender the ex-Kaiser. Germany might be asked to demand the ex-Kaiser's extradition in strict accordance with international law, and, once in Germany, the ex-Emperor would come under Article 228 of the Treaty. There is, however, a widespread feeling in French circles that the presence of the ex-Kaiser in Germany might fan the remaining sparks of monarchist feeling into flame, that his trial might lead to his being regarded as a national hero, and that, on the whole, therefore, it might be more advisable to come to an understanding with Holland for his internment in that country.

Commenting upon the reply of Holland to the Note of the Allied and Associated Powers, demanding the extradition of the ex-Kaiser, the *Petit Parisien* writes:—Honour cannot be invoked in favour of one who has forfeited honour, and it is truly singular to see the Dutch Government attempt to save the man who took care to violate all rules of the Convention which was drawn up a few years previously at The Hague.

GERMAN COMMENT.

In a message dated Saturday, Reuter's Berlin Correspondent says—The Pan-German Press joyfully hails what it considers to be Holland's manly attitude on the question of the ex-Kaiser's extradition.

The *Lokalanzeiger* says—Holland's Note is certain of a place of honour in the Dutch nation's history.

Vorwaerts writes—Little Holland does not bow to Victory's orders. The refusal is courageous, firm, and definite. The *Entente* rulers have means enough to bend this small, upright, and democratic country, and the only question is whether they will dare to use them.

DUTCH PRESS OPINION.

The Amsterdam newspapers all comment on the Dutch Government's answer to the Allies' Note demanding the extradition of the ex-Kaiser.

The *Handelsblad* says:—We are convinced that the brief and resolute reply, which is couched in courteous terms, represents the opinion of our countrymen. The newspaper calls attention to the fact that the Government also contests the right of a judicial body created after the war by the League of Nations to summon the ex-Kaiser to appear before its tribunal. The journal expresses its appreciation of the fact that the oustanding merit of the Dutch Note is the entire absence of sympathy with the accused which it reveals.

The *Tyd*, the Catholic organ, says:—The Government voices the deep feelings of the country.

The *Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant* says:—Though the reply contains a refusal, it is courteous. The newspaper does not think that the decision will cause serious complications. It says that even those who are disappointed will gradually arrive at the conclusion that Holland, at this painful hour in her history, has remained faithful to her old traditions.

MR. HOOVER AND THE PRESIDENCY.

ATTACK ON THE SENATE.

"A DENIZEN OF GREAT BRITAIN."

In a message, dated Washington, Sunday, Reuter's Correspondent says:—Mr. Hoover, who is being widely urged to accept nomination for the Presidency, was attacked in the Senate yesterday by Senator Reed, who charged him with having been a denizen and resident of Great Britain. Mr. Reed said that Mr. Hoover's training and sympathies fitted him, as President, to co-operate with the British League of Nations.

COAL SHORTAGE IN FRANCE.

An Exchange Paris telegram says:—In many parts of the West of France gasworks are compelled to close down owing to the coal shortage, and in Rennes and Vannes (Brittany) there is no light.

POLICE BARRACKS ATTACKED

IN COUNTIES LIMERICK AND WICKLOW.

TWO CONSTABLES SHOT AT BALTINGLASS.

MIDNIGHT ATTACK ON MURROE STATION.

SIX POLICEMEN BEAT OFF FORTY RAIDERS.

On Saturday night on the arrival of the train in Baltinglass about 7.30 p.m. a girl knocked at the Police Barracks to deliver the evening papers as usual. The moment that the door was opened a number of masked men rushed forward, and shouted "Hands up." The news-girl fell into the hall, and the attacking party fired, and shot Constable McGlynn in the upper part of the right shoulder, the bullet injuring his chest and spine.

Constable McPartlin, who lives in the house adjoining the barracks, was also fired at, and had the top of his right thumb blown off. He had other minor injuries.

Two large crowds had assembled about fifty yards away on each side of the barrack, one at the Belan street corner, and the other at the turn to the railway station. Constable McPartlin got into his house and shut the door, and the barrack door was also immediately shut, and the raiders made off in different directions. It is alleged that there were several motor cars ready to take them away, one at the corner of Belan street and Edward street, two on the road at Parkmore, and two on the old Dublin road.

The telegraph wires were cut and the railway block system put out of working order, so that no message could get through until Sunday morning. The raid was skilfully planned, for those who made it were supported by others in the rear. One man was posted on the bridge, where he knelt in his shirt sleeves or with his coat turned, and challenged passers-by.

There was considerable commotion amongst those returning from the railway station. They rushed home while the fusillade was going on, and some persons living on the west side of the town, who happened to be shopping on the east side, had to run back and seek shelter.

After the firing five men ran down Church street. A party of cyclists, numbering twenty or thirty, it is stated, arrived by the Dublin road before the raid.

The wounded constables were attended by Dr. Kenna and Dr. Cruise, who considered the case of Constable McGlynn so serious that they asked for the services of Sir William de Courcy Wheeler, of Dublin, as the Constable is partially paralysed from the effects of the wound. Sir William Wheeler arrived yesterday, with nurses and assistants, and had a consultation with the local doctors.

The police found a mask yesterday morning on the street opposite the barracks.

The outrage was referred to in both the Roman Catholic and Protestant Churches in Baltinglass yesterday, when it was condemned by the Rev. M. Brophy, C.C., and the Rev. Canon Dwyer, M.A.

Four or five persons have been arrested on suspicion, and a platoon of military have arrived, and are billeted in the town.

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CONSTABLE McGLYNN'S CONDITION.

Constable McGlynn was brought to Dublin last evening. The train was met at Kingsbridge Station by a military ambulance, in which the patient was conveyed to Mercer's Hospital, where he was admitted at 8.45. Sir William Wheeler, three policemen, and the wounded man's brother travelled with Constable McGlynn, and on his arrival at the hospital, Sir William, with Dr. G. R. Wilson, house surgeon, made an examination of the patient. They found that the bullet had entered the right arm, passed round the back of the thorax, and lodged apparently in the spinal cord. At an early hour this morning it was learned that the constable still remained conscious, though his condition was described as critical. He is a young man of fine physique, and is about 29 years of age. He is married, and has one child.

MIDNIGHT ATTACK IN COUNTY LIMERICK.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP POLICE STATION.

Telegraphing last night our Limerick Correspondent says:—The Constabulary at Limerick were informed in the early hours of this morning that a determined attack was made by about forty armed men to capture the police barracks at Murroe, in the east of the county, and in which six constables and two sergeants are stationed. Murroe is about eight miles northeast of Limerick, and equi-distant, some three miles, from the borders of the Counties of Tipperary and Clare.

District Inspector Craig was on patrol duty in the city when he was informed of the attack, and at once made arrangements to proceed to Murroe with a strong force of soldiers and policemen. The relief force hastily got together and left immediately, but their arrival was delayed by obstructions which had been placed on the roads.

About two miles from the city on the way to Castleconnell the road was blocked with trees, which had to be removed. The telephone wires between Limerick and Nenagh had been cut, and the telegraph wires connecting Limerick with Dublin were treated in a similar fashion.

It was thought that Castleconnell Barracks might also have been attacked, and thither the force went, but they found that everything was right, and the journey was continued to Murroe. They could only proceed at a very slow pace. Trees were placed on the road at several places. At one spot the obstruction consisted of a wall of loose stones, and these had to be removed to clear a passage. When the party got to Murroe the raiders had retired from the attack, which lasted from a few minutes after midnight to half-past 1 o'clock.

AN EXPLOSIVE USED.

The raiders are stated to have been armed with rifles, and they fought at some distance from the barrack, which stands on a slight eminence off a by-road leading from the village. It is protected by steel plates on the lower portion of the windows, and behind these windows the police defended themselves while the raiders engaged them from the boundary wall, thirty yards away.

Rifle shots were exchanged, the raiders blazing away, while the police used their ammunition sparingly. A party of the raiders made a hole in the gable of the barracks, where there are no windows, with the object of blowing up the wall, but the structure proved too strong. All the glass in the windows was smashed by rifle fire, and a bullet pierced the window of a room in which a sergeant's family was sleeping, but without injuring any of them. One of the sergeants, it appears, was sick, but he joined the firing party, and remained with them until the raiders drew off.

ARRIVAL OF THE RELIEF PARTY.

When the force from Limerick arrived there was no trace of anyone about. None of the policemen suffered injury. The arrival of the force from Limerick and the measures taken by District Inspector Craig, who was in charge, presumably prevented other attacks, as the telegraph wires were cut over a wide area of the Counties of Limerick and Clare. For hours to-day a search was made of the district around Murroe, but without any arrests taking place. On some of the Government buildings in Limerick to-day the military guard was doubled.

CROSS-CHANNEL VESSEL'S STORMY PASSAGE.

Another strong south-westerly gale blowing in the Irish Channel, and accompanied by heavy seas, over Saturday night and Sunday morning, was responsible for serious delays and strenuous passages of regular cross-Channel passenger and goods steamers due yesterday morning at the North and South Walls and the Custom House Quay. The incoming Laird Line steamer Thistle, from Glasgow, was looked for about 10 a.m., and from before that time friends of some of her passengers were waiting at the North Wall for the arrival of the steamer. It was, however, almost 5 o'clock last evening before the Thistle got alongside her berth, and her passengers came ashore at the North Wall after a more than stormy 22½ hours' trip from the Clyde to the Liffey.

At 9 o'clock last night inquiries at the Custom House quay regarding the ss. Yarrow, which should have arrived yesterday morning from Silloth, showed that a wire had been received late in the evening, stating that the steamer had been unable to leave Silloth owing to the weather conditions. The Yarrow will probably arrive in the Liffey to-night.

MURDERS OF POLICE OFFICERS AND MEN.

REWARDS OFFERED FOR INFORMATION.

The following Proclamation was posted in the streets of Dublin last night:—

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That on the 30th July, 1919, Detective Sergeant Patrick Smyth was fired at and grievously wounded at Millmount avenue, Drumcondra, from the effects of which he died on the 8th September, 1919;

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That on the 29th November, 1919, Detective Sergeant John Barton was murdered at College street;

And that on the 21st January, 1920, Assistant Commissioner William Charles Redmond was murdered at Harcourt street; all the aforesaid persons being members of the Dublin Metropolitan Police, and these murders having been committed in the City of Dublin.

And whereas it has been further represented to the Lord Lieutenant:

That on the 21st January, 1919, Constables James McDonnell and Patrick O'Connell were murdered at Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary;

That on the 6th April, 1919, Constable Martin O'Brien was murdered in Limerick Workhouse;

That on the 23rd June, 1919, District Inspector Michael Hunt was murdered at Thurles, Co. Tipperary;

That on the 4th August, 1919, Sergeant John Riordan and Constable Michael James Murphy were murdered at Ballyvranneen, Co. Clare;

That on the 31st October, 1919, Constable William Agar was murdered at Ballivor Barrack, Co. Meath;

That on the 14th December, 1919, Constable Edward Bolger was murdered at Killbrittan, Co. Cork; and

That on the 21st January, 1920, Constable Luke Finnegan was murdered at Thurles, Co. Tipperary; all the aforesaid persons being members of the Royal Irish Constabulary:

His Excellency, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the perpetrators of these outrages, is pleased hereby to offer a reward of

TEN THOUSAND POUNDS

to any person or persons who, within three months from the date hereof, shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of any of the offenders:

And a further reward of

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS

for such *secret* information within the same time as shall be calculated to lead to the same result:

And His Excellency is also pleased hereby to offer to any person or persons concerned in or privy to any of these outrages (not being the person or persons who actually committed any of the murders) who shall, within the same time, give such information as shall be calculated to lead to the conviction of any of the offenders

A FREE PARDON

and the *special protection of the Crown* in any part of His Majesty's Dominions.

By His Excellency's Command,

J. J. TAYLOR.

The above rewards will be paid, on conviction, by the Chief Commissioner, Dublin Metropolitan Police, or the Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary, to those who may become entitled to them under the conditions of this Proclamation.

THE MOTOR PERMITS ORDER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is the opinion of the members of this Union that the time has come when a clear statement regarding the above should be made to the public, as there seems to be considerable misunderstanding—firstly, as to the Order itself, and, secondly, as to what efforts have been made in endeavours to bring about a settlement of the difficulty.

A number of objections have been made by the Irish Automobile Drivers' and Mechanics' Union:—(1) They object to different legislation for Ireland as compared with other parts of the United Kingdom; (2) that some of their members, on political grounds, might possibly be refused permits, and thus be prevented from following their trade; (3) that the Order is unnecessary and needlessly irritating, inasmuch as the ordinary driving licence is a sufficient means of identification.

These objections can be sufficiently answered as follows:—(1) For some years past every hiring car in England has had to be provided with a hackney carriage licence, while in Ireland, in all parts of the country, except the cities and larger towns, it has been possible to drive hiring cars without anything except the ordinary driving licence.

(2) The proportion of drivers who would be penalised by this Order is infinitesimal, and in such cases employers using heavy vehicles (drivers of which are exempt from police permits) have undertaken to give first preference to suitable men thus penalised.

(3) It has been publicly admitted by officials of the Irish Automobile Drivers' and Mechanics' Union that the ordinary driving licence is of no value whatsoever for purposes of identification, and this is apparently the principal object for which the permit is required.

Deputations from this Union and the Carters' Association, as well as from the I.A.D. and M.U. and other associations, have called upon the Lord Lieutenant, Chief Secretary, Under-Secretary, and other officials, and it is quite evident that there is not the slightest hope of any modification of the Order. Further, a number of conferences have been held with Mr. Burgess (Minister of Transport) and the Dublin Trades Council, and the matter has been fully discussed, with a view, on our part, of arriving at a cessation of the present deadlock. All these conferences have, so far, proved abortive. We wish to make it perfectly clear that this is not an ordinary labour dispute between master and man which can be settled by arbitration, and its continuance, as far as we can judge, will not result in any modification of the Order. It has lasted for nine weeks, and the result to trade generally has already been very serious, bringing great hardships both upon men and employers.

Even if an immediate resumption of work takes place, the present stoppage will be farther-reaching in its effects than is immediately apparent to the uninitiated, as, owing to the great shortage of supplies, new motor vehicles which have been diverted during the trouble have been permanently lost to the portion of Ireland affected by the strike, and distributed to purchasers in England and the North of Ireland, where trade is abnormally good. At the same time potential purchasers are delaying the placing of their orders until the matter is settled, with the result that they are losing the positions for early deliveries which they would otherwise have secured, and their orders, when placed, will be executed many months—perhaps years—after those now being placed from the unaffected areas.

The diversion of each of these vehicles, the postponement or abandonment of each of these orders, mean the loss of a possible job for members of the Irish Automobile Drivers' and Mechanics' Union, and the loss of potential employment in repair work for members of the other societies concerned.

In view of the above facts it is our considered opinion that nothing whatsoever can be gained by the strikers in the continuance of this strike, but that each day that elapses before resumption of work prejudices immeasurably the future livelihood of all concerned.—Yours, etc.,

W. H. BASKIN, Secretary, the Motor Agents' Union (Irish Division, Southern).

12 College Green, Dublin,
January 24th, 1920.

At a meeting of the Council of the Dublin Employers' Federation, Limited, the following resolution was adopted:—"That the Council of the Dublin Employers' Federation learns with great regret that some employers continue to pay wages to motor drivers who have refused to apply for motor permits, and the Council considers that such employers are acting in a way calculated very seriously and injuriously to affect the general relations between employers and employés, and are encouraging and prolonging the present state of affairs." The Secretary was directed to send a copy of this resolution to all employers' associations and prominent firms.

"INSPECTOR McFEELY, D.M.P."

With reference to the paragraph which appeared in our issue of Saturday under the above heading, we are requested by Mr. McFeely to say that he absolutely denies having "failed to carry out certain instructions with regard to the recent raid on the New Ireland Assurance premises, 56 Lower Sackville street, Dublin." Mr. McFeely states that he carried out to the full any orders or instructions he got.

THE THURLES SHOOTING OUTRAGE.

INQUEST IN STEEVENS'S HOSPITAL.

HOW CONSTABLE FINNEGAN WAS SHOT.

VERDICT OF WILFUL MURDER.

The circumstances surrounding the death of Constable Luke Finnegan, R.I.C., who was shot outside his house in Thurles on last Tuesday night, were investigated at an inquest held by Dr. Louis A. Byrne, City Coroner, in Steevens's Hospital, Dublin, on Saturday last. The deceased constable, who was brought to Dublin by the night mail from Thurles after the occurrence, was admitted to Steevens's Hospital, where it was found that he was wounded in the abdomen and right arm. An operation was performed, and a quantity of blood was transfused into his system from the body of Constable McGirr, R.I.C. Depot, but death ensued at 11.30 o'clock on Thursday night. Constable Finnegan, who was a married man with two children, was a native of Tuam, Co. Galway, and had about ten years' service.

Mr. H. O. Holmes (instructed by Mr. Clarke, of the Chief Crown Solicitor's Office) appeared for the authorities.

WIDOW'S EVIDENCE.

Mrs. Mary Finnegan, widow of the deceased, who was the first witness, said that she was in her house in the Mall, Thurles, on Tuesday night last about 10.20, when she heard the reports of three shots. She was in her room upstairs, and she ran at once to the window, raised it, and looked out. She saw her husband, whom she was expecting, looking up at her. He said, "Mary, I'm shot." She rushed downstairs and opened the door to let him in. A neighbouring woman came and assisted him to a chair. When he was seated he said—"Mary, I am done. What will you and your little babies do?"

To Mr. Clarke—He did not make any reference to the persons who fired the shots.

DECEASED CONSTABLE'S STATEMENT

Head Constable George Williams, R.I.C., deposed that deceased had been over two years stationed in Thurles. He had almost ten years' service in the force. He resided in the Mall, which is in the town of Thurles. On Tuesday night, 20th inst., he was on patrol duty in the town, and reported off duty at 10 p.m. Witness met him at Westgate at 10.10 p.m., and spoke to him. He told witness he was going to his lodgings. He was then about 250 yards from his home. Witness went to the barracks about 150 yards away, and was only a few minutes in when he got a report that the constable was shot. He hurried to the constable's home, and found him lying in the parlour. He was wounded in the abdomen. Witness had a conversation with him, and he said he had been shot by three men near a tree which was twelve or fifteen yards from his door. He said the men wore fawn coats and that they went up the Mall. In answer to the doctor, who had just treated him at the moment, Constable Finnegan said that he did not fall, and was able to stagger to the door.

Mr. Clarke—Did you see any people about when you arrived? Very few, sir.

I understand, or am I right in saying, that there is a lamp within a certain number of yards from the residence of the constable? There is.

Had that lamp been turned out? That lamp was out.

And the place was in complete darkness at the time? Yes. The lamp is a short distance from the constable's residence—about thirty yards.

A Juror—Could the head constable say how many shots were fired?

Witness—I did not hear them.

The Coroner—He was not there; he was at the barrack. It was reported to him immediately after the occurrence that the constable had been shot.

DOCTOR'S EVIDENCE.

Dr. T. H. R. McKiernan, house surgeon, Steeven's Hospital, gave evidence that he first saw Constable Finnegan at 4.30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 21st inst. He was then greatly collapsed and suffering from shock, and appeared to suffer great pain. On examination it was found that he had three gunshot wounds. One was on the inner side of the right elbow, where there was a fracture of one of the bones of the forearm; a second one in the abdomen, and a third in the centre of the right buttock. His general condition was very low when received at the hospital. At 9 a.m. on the 21st an operation was performed, and a transfusion of half a pint of blood took place, and there was a slight improvement in the patient's condition. Later on he failed slowly, and expired at 11.30 p.m. on 22nd inst. He performed a *post-mortem* and found three wounds as described. There was a punctured wound on the inner side and slightly above the right elbow joint, which, when explored, passed through the elbow joint, and a projectile was found. In the second wound he found minute fragments of a projectile and small pieces of clothing. The abdomen was also perforated. Death was due to peritonitis and shock following the wounds.

The Coroner—Death was due to the effects of bullet wounds? Yes.

"WICKED MURDER."

This closed the evidence, and

Mr. Holmes, addressing the jury, said that he had only to ask the jury to say that this was another of those wicked and wilful murders which are unfortunately disgracing our country at present. He would ask them to voice the feelings of the people whom they represented in condemning such crimes which were a disgrace to the country, and were useless and purposeless.

The Coroner, addressing the jury, said that they had all the available evidence before them. The deceased man was going to his home, after having performed his duty in Thurles on the night of the 20th, when he was fired at by at least three persons. That occurred within a few perches of his home, and, nothwithstanding all the efforts and care of the doctors, he died on Thursday night. The jury would have no difficulty in finding a verdict of deliberate murder.

THE VERDICT.

The jury, after a minute's conference, found that Constable Finnegan died from shock and hemorrhage, caused by bullets fired by a person or persons unknown. They added that they regarded the killing as a dastardly outrage and wilful murder; they condemned it in the strongest manner, and expressed their condolence with the widow and other relatives of the deceased.

The remains of the late Constable Finnegan were removed from Steevens' Hospital immediately after the inquest, and conveyed by the 1.30 train from Broadstone to Ballinlough, Co. Roscommon, where they were interred yesterday. The body was accompanied by Mrs. Mary Finnegan, widow; Mr. Patrick Finnegan, father; Mr. Patrick Kelly, ex-sergeant R.I.C., father-in-law, and Mr. John Kelly, brother-in-law.

LAST WEEK'S EVENTS IN THURLES.

ARCHBISHOP HARTY'S DENUNCIATION.

Our Thurles Correspondent, telegraphing last night, says:—At all the Masses in the Cathedral in Thurles to-day trenchant denunciations of last week's occurrences were uttered by all the officiating clergymen.

Preaching at nine o'clock Mass the Most Rev. Dr. Harty, the Archbishop, said—During the past week shocking events have occurred in Thurles and its neighbourhood. The armed raids on police barracks, the wilful murder of a constable, and the police attack on undefended and inoffensive homes call for universal condemnation and reprobation. It is a most horrible and shocking thing that anybody should commit murder in cold blood. It is also shocking that a number of policemen, whose special duty it is to protect life and property, should break away from their authorities, indulge in an orgy of violence, and endanger the lives of many innocent people, women and children, as well as men. With all the authority that I can command, I condemn all these crimes as most grave violations of the laws of God. I sympathise with the relatives of the murdered constable. I also sympathise with the good people of Thurles in their severe trial, and I commend them for their calm self-restraint in very harassing circumstances. I ask you, my dearly-beloved people, to pray very fervently to Almighty God that there may be no recurrence of these deeds of violence and bloodshed, and I most earnestly appeal to everybody in the Archdiocese of Cashel to

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SPECIAL EXTRA.

SHOCK TO SENATE CONFERENCE.

The conferences between the Republicans and the Democratic leaders of the Senate upon the Lodge reservations, says the Washington Correspondent of *The Times*, have had another interruption in the shape of an *ultimatum* from the extreme Republican opponents of the Treaty, saying that they will accept no alteration whatever in those reservations. The affair is given considerable prominence, especially by those newspapers which until recently thought, for some cryptic reason, that there was to be a real compromise. As a matter of fact, it does not alter the actual situation. Senator Lodge never meant to yield in anything much more serious than matters of phraseology. The conference is to continue this week, and, unless something quite unexpected happens, its success will still depend ultimately on the willingness of the Democrats to present the President with reservations in principle tantamount to those adopted last session by the Republicans.

THE "NEW YORK HERALD."

A New York telegram says:—Mr. Munsey, who recently acquired the *New York Herald*, in a published statement to readers of the *Herald*, and *Sun*, announces that the combination of the two newspapers will take effect on February 1, under the title of the *Sun and New York Herald*. He declares that this decision is necessitated by the poor mechanical equipment of the *Herald*, and the fact that it will soon become homeless, owing to the expiration of the lease.

NORTH - WEST FRONTIER.

BATTLE FOR THE PASS.

FIERCE STRUGGLE AND HEAVY LOSSES.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent with the Forces on the North-West Frontier, writes, under date Asakhan, January 14th:—The Derajat column has fought one of the fiercest battles of the campaign, owing to the difficult circumstances with which we had to contend, the difficult country, and the desperation and numerical strength of the opposing force, which was armed with modern high-velocity rifles. A thousand Wana Wazirs had reinforced Musa Khan and Fazal Din, who were determined to prevent our passage through the famous Ahnai Dangi pass. The British column moved out at dawn. The pass consists of a narrow defile, less than 50 yards wide, through which the River Takzam flows, with precipitous cliffs and hills on either side, which had to be cleared of the enemy before the passage of the pass by a long column of mules and camels could be accomplished. The column came under heavy fire, but gallantly carried the position. Both the advance guard and the main guard found themselves engaged in a hot conflict immediately the pass had been made good. A fierce battle raged from eight in the morning till three in the afternoon. The enemy attacked fiercely on three sides, and eventually the stubbornness and strength of the enemy and the lateness of the hour rendered it necessary for us to bivouac north of Gamkonr Nullah, a mile or two above Ahnai Dangi. Our casualties were heavy, but if the tribesmen suffered in proportion they must have received a severe blow.

GERMANS CHARGED WITH ROBBERY AT LILLE.

An Exchange Paris telegram says:—Seven Germans, including an Army captain and his wife, were brought to Lille on Friday by French gendarmes, and imprisoned in the French Citadel to await trial for pillaging and for thefts committed at Lille during the war.

DEATHS FROM SLEEPING SICKNESS.

Two more deaths from sleeping sickness are reported from Cherbourg. Out of seven soldiers who have arrived at hospital, three are in an advanced stage of the malady.

WELSH LIBERALS AND THE COALITION.

The Cardiff Liberal Association General Purposes Committee on Saturday referred to the Executive Council as a recommendation to the Association the following resolution:—"That the Association considers the time has arrived when the Coalition Government has ceased to serve a useful purpose, and that its continued existence is the probable cause of the industrial and social unrest. We further recommend to constituent associations of Central and South Wales that steps be taken to select candidates who will oppose a Coalition Government and support the establishment of a Liberal Government.

THE "FREEMAN'S JOURNAL."

The suppression of the *Freeman's Journal* has been removed, and the paper will be published again next Wednesday.

CASTLEREA'S BOYCOTT OF NORTH OF IRELAND FIRMS.

The Castlerea Guardians had under consideration on Saturday a notice of motion standing in the name of Mr. John Dillon, D.C., calling upon all merchants in the union to cease transacting business with any of the Northern firms, by refusing to give them any orders for goods until such time as the Government of the country was administered in a manner to please the people of Ireland. A large meeting adopted the motion.

IRISH SOLDIER OVERBOARD.

Thirty-three officers and over 500 men from India arrived at Plymouth on Saturday. On Christmas Day Private Moore, of the Irish Fusiliers, fell overboard into a shark-infested sea, and was probably immediately grabbed by the monsters, as he was not seen again.

IRISH SHRIEVALTY.

On Wednesday, before the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, Mr. Mathew J. Minch, 14 Ailesbury road, Dublin, and Rockfield House, Athy, Co. Kildare, Chairman of the Kildare County Council, and Mr. Charles Daly, of 25 Westmoreland street, Dublin, solicitor, made the usual declarations on taking the offices of High and Under Sheriff, respectively, for the County of Kildare. Mr. Francis Kennedy, Associate, was in attendance.

On Wednesday, at Navan, Mr. Arthur McCann, Ardsallagh, Navan, and Mr. Geo. H. Lowry were sworn in as High Sheriff and Sub-Sheriff, respectively, for the County Meath. Mr. W. H. Spence, solicitor, of 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin, was appointed returning officer.

In Mullingar, on Thursday, Major P. H. O'Hara, Mornington, Crookedwood, Mullingar, and Mr. W. R. Fetherstonhaugh, Carrick, Mullingar, were sworn in, respectively, Sheriff and Under Sheriff for County Westmeath. Mr. Edwin E. Mason, LL.B. has been appointed Returning Officer.

AWARDS FOR NAVAL SERVICES.

The King has been pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men:—

Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross.—Ch. Gnr. Daniel Patrick Joseph Enright, D.S.C., R.N. (For distinguished services in action as Chief Gunner of the Flotilla and in charge of naval demolition parties.)

Bar to the Distinguished Service Medal.—Vict. C.P.O. John Patrick Canty, D.S.M., O.N. 342015 (Po.).

Services in the Caspian Sea, 1919.

Mentioned in Despatches—Gnr. Christopher Mahon, R.N.

For Services in the Mine Clearance Force between the 1st January and 30th June, 1919.

Mentioned in Despatches—Cook Francis J. Power, Mercantile Rating.

For Services in the Mine Clearance Force (Final).

Meritorious Service Medal.—Ch. Motor Mech. Joseph Burton, R.N.V.R., O.N. MB850.

Conferred by the King of Italy.

War Cross.—Rear-Adml. Frank E. C. Ryan, C.B.E. (tempy. Capt., R.N.R.).

Conferred by the President of the Republic of China.

Order of the Excellent Crop—Grand Cordon (Preciously Brilliant).—Adml. of the Flt. Earl Beatty, G.C.B.; Adml. of the Flt. Baron Wester Wemyss of Wemyss, G.C.B.

Grand Cordon.—Adml. the Hon. Sir Somerset A. Gough-Calthorpe, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., C.V.O.; Vice-Adml. Sir John M. de Robeck, Bt., G.C.M.G., K.C.B.

Order of the Striped Tiger (1st Class).—Adml. Sir Charles E. Madden, Bt., G.C.B., K.C.M.G., C.V.O.

THE BRITISH LABOUR MISSION.

DEMANDS OF SINN FEIN AND IRISH LABOUR.

A STUDY IN PSYCHOLOGY.

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

The Parliamentary Labour Party's deputation returned to Dublin on Saturday evening, having visited Thurles, Tipperary, Cork, and Limerick. As the forthcoming visit to Belfast will end its tour of inspection, the Deputation may be said to have completed the first, and certainly not the least interesting, part of its programme. It need hardly be said that, as regards the larger aspects of the Irish problem, the visitors have as yet formed no definite conclusions, nor will they attempt that difficult and responsible task until all the evidence that they hope to gather is before them. On the other hand, they have already received some very definite impressions of what government in Ireland means and does not mean at the moment, and of the shortcomings, responsibilities, tribulations, and antagonisms of governors and governed, which it is by no means too early for the public to hear and consider.

It is not out of place to discuss at this time certain psychological aspects of the Deputation's experiences—the superficial results, so to speak, of the impact of fresh political conceptions, frankly advanced, on minds trained to think, politically, in entirely different terms. It may be said that the Deputation was in a sense *parti pris* when it reached Ireland—that is to say, it expected neither the need to withdraw from, nor the point-blank demand that it should go beyond, the promise that the first Labour Administration to take office would grant Ireland the widest measure of self-determination within the Empire that could be devised—always supposing that that beneficence had not already been bestowed *aliunde*. Mr. Adamson and his colleagues had, it is to be feared, little sympathy with the interests represented by the Irish Unionist Alliance. To them the explanation that the remedy for Ireland's sickness of soul was more firm government smacked of the cudgels of capitalism.

The aspirations of the constitutional Nationalists would also have presented no difficulty, since the Deputation was prepared to sympathise politely with them. Those aspirations have not so far been officially advanced, for reasons which are clear enough to Irishmen, though the prehensile minds of the Labour members naturally did not grasp them at once. To-day the constitutional Nationalist either demands complete independence or remains silent, believing in either case that less than is demanded will be granted (by a Labour no less than by any other British Government), and that, therefore, it is best to demand more than is actually required. Undoubtedly, an initial failure to grasp this important truth would lead any visitor to Ireland to suppose that there is behind the Sinn Fein movement a force and vigour which it does not, in fact, possess.

It was not, however, until the Deputation came into contact with the representatives of Irish Labour that they found themselves really nonplussed. The spectacle of archbishops and capitalist mayors and college professors clamouring to be cut adrift from the Empire, disturbing as it has undoubtedly been to the preconceived ideas of the visitors, ceased to be so on the assumption that the clamourers were in a sense playing a part—that, in a word, they were not past bargaining with. But there has been no possibility of suspecting any *arrière pensée* behind the full-chested advocacy by Irish Labour of a republic, a working man's republic, and nothing but a republic. That nice admixture of courtesy and truculence that forms an integral part of the diplomacy of all semi-barbarous peoples, and is known as sabre-rattling, has been comparatively absent from the language in which Sinn Fein has addressed its demands to the Deputation.

Pistol-rattling only mildly describes the tone in which Irish Labour has within the last few days addressed itself to the spokesmen of English Labour. The latter have been referred to in an Irish Labour organ as "wolves in sheeps' clothing." While the Deputation was receiving the salutations of the Lord Mayor of Cork, a leaflet, entitled "Workers' Bulletin," was thrust into their hands and those of the bystanders, which refers to them as "posing as the friends of Irish Labour," and declares that "English Labour inactivity is helping to starve the Irish motor drivers." Irish Labour representative after Irish Labour representative has arisen and told the Deputation in the plainest language that they had no more faith in an English Labour party than in an English Tory or Liberal or Coalition party; that Ireland was now a republic duly declared; that they, the workingmen of Ireland, had by a self-denying ordinance placed every class issue in subordination to the national issue, and were determined to maintain that Republic at all costs; that eighty *per cent.* of the Irish people recognised no authority but Dail Eireann, and what were the Labour members of Parliament going to do about it?

To me the speeches and demeanour of Mr. Adamson and his friends under this trying ordeal were a most interesting psychological study, and I am glad to go on record as saying that they came out of it very well. It would have been easy for these men to make flowery, soothing, non-committal, and wholly unsatisfactory speeches. The temptation to make them must have been great, for I verily believe that they had expected to get out of Ireland without having the Sinn Fein pistol pointed directly at their heads, or that they would be called upon by Irish Labour to "stand and deliver." Yet when one considers what manner of men they are, it seems, after all, nearly impossible that they should have done that very thing, and quite impossible that they should have tried to pay their way into the good graces of Sinn Fein with promissory notes that they hoped they might not be called upon to redeem.

I suppose that in all the British Isles it would not be possible to find five more typically British men than Mr. Adamson and his colleagues. Sturdy, unimaginative, shrewd, honest, slow-thinking and slow-judging, tenacious, and yet having that canny sense of proportion that has made Britain a synonym for stability ever since the days of Magna Charta—you must picture these men being told with all the imaginative *abandon* of the untamed Celt that the British are a race of oppressors, despoilers, and hypocrites, whose maleficent yoke the high-souled people of Ireland have cast off for ever—and much more to the same effect. It seemed to me—it was a mental impression, no doubt—that, as the Labour members of Parliament rose on each occasion to reply, they became informed with a representative dignity that has possibly failed to come to them, either in the House of Commons or on the Labour platform. As representatives of the Mother of Parliaments, the wisdom-seat and the judgment-seat of the greatest Empire on earth, they were invited to divest themselves of a portion of their authority in favour of a mushroom assembly with a ridiculous name and composed entirely of a second-rate *intelligentsia*. It was obvious that Mr. Adamson and his friends would take up the challenge. And they did. What they said was, like the speeches to which they replied, said *inter pocula*, and is sacred as far as the Press is concerned. I merely add, therefore, that, from the point of view of those who regard the proposed severance of Ireland from the Empire with the highest disfavour, it was sufficient. How it struck the advocates of Sinn Fein I do not know.

Let me at this point avoid a possible misunderstanding. I am considering now a question of psychology. It interested me to observe

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how Mr. Arthur Henderson for example—who is probably regarded as a Bolshevik by a certain section of the House of Lords, and would, no doubt, feel like one if he had to live with them—could, under the pressure of circumstances, don the Imperial mantle, and become, in the words of Sir Francis Doyle, "Ambassador of Britain's Crown, and type of all her race." The last impression I would wish to create is that the Labour Deputation believe that all is for the best in the best governed of all possible Irelands. They certainly believe no such thing. What they do think they will say officially in due course, and their remarks will be, in the language of one of their number, of a far-reaching nature. The larger question of Ireland's future is not one that they are called upon to consider at the moment, except as the critics, benevolent or otherwise, of another party's proposals.

INTERVIEW WITH SINN FEIN LEADERS.

The members of the Parliamentary Labour party returned to Dublin on Saturday, on the conclusion of their tour in the South of Ireland.

Yesterday afternoon, at the Shelbourne Hotel, where they are staying, they received Mr. Arthur Griffith, M.P., and Professor John McNeill, as representatives of the Sinn Fein party. For upwards of an hour the Labour delegates discussed with them the policy of Sinn Fein in all its aspects, including the question of the non-attendance of the Sinn Fein members of Parliament at Westminster. The causes which led up to the present situation in Ireland also formed a topic of conversation.

The members of the delegation have made the following arrangements for to-day:—At ten o'clock they will receive a deputation from the Unionist Anti-Partition League, and at 1.15 they will lunch with the Dublin Rotary Club in the Gresham Hotel. They will receive representatives of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce at 3.30, a deputation from the Women's Workers' Union at 4.30, and the Executive Committee of the Trade Union Congress at six o'clock. At 7.30 they will be the guests of the Irish Dominion League at dinner in the Shelbourne Hotel.

The party will leave for Belfast to-morrow morning, and in the evening are to hear the views of a number of Labour leaders in that city. On Wednesday they lunch with the Belfast Chamber of Commerce, and hope to leave for London that evening via Larne and Stranraer.

THE MURDER OF CONSTABLE BOLGER.

£3,000 COMPENSATION AWARDED.

JUDGE'S STRONG CONDEMNATION.

His Honor County Court Judge Hynes, K.C., resumed the business of the Bandon Quarter Sessions on Saturday. At the sitting of the Court His Honor delivered judgment in the claim for £6,000 by Mrs. Hannah Bolger for the loss of her husband, Constable Edward Bolger, who was shot dead at Kilbrittan on 14th December last. He said that he would adjourn the question of the form of the Order to Bantry, but would now give his decision. His Honor then reviewed the facts of the case, and the pay, emoluments, and pension to which the late Constable Bolger would be entitled. A skilled actuary had proved that it would take £2,785 to purchase a life annuity equivalent to that net income. The sum of £2,785 then represented the pecuniary loss which the family had sustained. He found as a fact that on his retirement the constable would earn in civil life a sum which, with his pension, would bring his net income to the same amount as it was immediately before his retirement. The murder was an act of a widespread conspiracy of terrorism against the police. The widow lost a good husband, and the infant children a good father, at a time in their lives when his life and guidance would be most useful to them. Their home was broken up. He would award the sum of £3,000 in respect of pecuniary and exemplary damages; £1,000 would go to the widow, and £500 each to the four children.

THE KNOCKLONG MURDERS.

ACCUSED RETURNED FOR TRIAL.

The six men, Michael Shanahan, Thomas Shanahan, Edward Foley, Michael Murphy, Patrick Maher, and Michael O'Connell, charged with the murder of Sergeant Peter Wallace and Constable Michael Enright, of the Royal Irish Constabulary, were brought before Mr. G. McElroy, R.M., at William street Police Barracks, Limerick, on Saturday, and returned for trial at the next Assizes for the County of Limerick.

AWARDS FOR MALICIOUS INJURIES.

THE ATTACK ON CLARE SHOOTING PARTY.

On Saturday His Honor Judge Bodkin, K.C., heard claims for compensation for malicious injuries.

Colonel Tottenham, Mount Callan, was awarded £18 10s. for damage to personal property during a raid by armed men in November last. He was also awarded £200 for personal injuries received on the same occasion.

His Honor strongly condemned the outrage. He awarded £200, which included £50 doctor's fees. He also allowed expenses.

Mr. H. V. Macnamara, D.L., Ennistymon House, was awarded £250, with £65 in addition for medical fees, for personal injuries arising out of the attack on his shooting party at Carron, North Clare, on December 4th.

REVOLTING CRIME IN COUNTY KERRY.

FARMER'S EARS CUT OFF.

TEN MEN ARRESTED.

A shocking outrage is stated to have been perpetrated at Glencuttane, about six miles from Killorglin, on the Glencar road, Mr. Timothy T. Mangan, a married man, of the farming class, being the victim. It appears that as Mangan and his wife were sitting quietly at home about nine o'clock on Wednesday night they were aroused by a loud knock at the door, and shortly after a gang of upwards of a dozen men, all masked and armed, rushed into the kitchen. In the presence of his wife Mangan was tied with a rope and his hands securely fastened behind his back. The appeals and expostulations of himself and his wife were of no avail. A pair of shears were produced, and whilst the victim was held his ears were cut off, first the one and then the other. His wife, in attempting to come to his assistance and trying to evade those who were standing by her, got a large portion of her hair cut off. The dastardly work done, the intruders took their departure, whilst the unfortunate victim shouted with pain, blood flowing freely.

Dr. Dodd, Killorglin, was sent for. He found Mangan very weak from loss of blood. Rev. M. O'Donoghue, C.C., was also sent for, and attended to the unfortunate victim. He expressed his horror at the occurrence.

Our Killarney Correspondent writes:—

On Saturday evening ten young men were brought up in custody before Lieut.-Colonel Crane, R.M., and charged with having unlawfully assembled, armed and disguised, at Glencuttane, and attacked the house of Timothy Mangan. They were also charged with assaulting Mangan and his wife. The accused were John Horgan, Jeremiah Leane, Daniel Leane, Thomas Roche, Michael Horgan, Jeremiah Roche, David Roche, David Leane, Patrick Roche, and John Horgan.

After formal evidence of arrest had been given, the prisoners were remanded until Friday next at Killarney.

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THE THURLES SHOOTING OUTRAGE.

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abstain from acts which may bring the anger of God on town and country alike.

OTHER DENUNCIATIONS.

Rev. M. Ryan, Administrator, in the course of his sermon, said—I refer in the first place to the murder of a policeman on the Mall on Tuesday evening, and, in the next place, to the attempted murders of men, women, and children in various places in the town at a later hour that same evening. It is understood by all civilised people that murder is a crime that cannot be excused by the exigency of any individual's projects. But, in the present unhappy circumstances of our country, it seems to be necessary to state boldly and clearly that murder is also a crime that cannot be excused by the exigency of any party's projects. Put yourselves the question—What is it that makes murder crime? The true solution of that question is the only thing that can save you from the sophistries that would hint to you, that murder is no crime in certain circumstances. Divergent attitudes of different people towards particular murders is clear proof of a widespread want of the true conception of the malice of murder. One party will vehemently denounce one murder, and will practically overlook another equally atrocious. Another party will take a diametrically opposite attitude, overlooking what the other denounces, and fiercely denouncing what the other is so willing to condone. It is clear that neither party has truth as a guide. What then is the true conception of malice of murder? It is that it is a violation of the ordinance of God, who has reserved to himself dominion over human life, except in so far as He delegates that dominion to public authority for the common good. Abhorrence of murder to have any moral value must, therefore, be based on the firm foundation of the law of God. And it is my duty to expound that law to you, irrespective of anyone's likes or dislikes. Murder is a violation of the law of God, whether committed on a person you like or on a person you do not like, on a person who is forwarding your designs, or on a person who is opposing them. It deserves your unqualified abhorrence in all cases. On the occasion of the murder of a police Inspector some months ago I proclaimed as emphatically as I could the enormity of such crimes, and the impossibility of palliating it by any excuses that could be alleged. I repeat that proclamation here to-day, and I care not whom it pleases or displeases. I denounce the murder which was committed in our town in the course of the past week as a deed that will remain a heinous crime, in spite of any confusion of colouring that may arise from placing it in just opposition to similar deeds for the foolish purpose of trying to find justification for it by comparison. And, as I base my opposition to murder on the sanctity of human life as guaranteed by the law of God, I denounce also, and I care not whom my denunciation pleases or displeases—I denounce the murderous attack made on whole families in this town on the same evening that the crime I have just spoken of was committed. Late on that evening, when most people were in their beds, a band of policemen, armed with weapons, marched through the town and fired scores of shots into the dwellings of the people. In many cases bullets were deliberately directed into the bedrooms of men, women, and children, showing that the firing was done with murderous intent. It was only by an act of the providence of God that none of the bullets found victims. Let no one dare to excuse such conduct. It is time for all responsible men of all parties to cry halt against murders by all sides. In the present unhappy circumstances of our country it is criminal to recognise any distinction of parties or persons whenever a murder is attempted or committed. Murder must no longer be regarded as merely a crime against this or that political or sectional interest. It must be recognised with broader vision as a crime against the Great God, in Whose keeping are the interests of all parties and peoples.

COWARDLY AND COLD-BLOODED.

Father O'Brien, C.C., in the course of his sermon, said that by every Christian man the shooting of Constable Finnegan must be regarded as a cowardly, cold-blooded, cruel, and heartless crime. It was cowardly, for the deed was done under the cover of darkness, the street lights on the occasion having been turned down. It was cold-blooded and deliberate, for it was not done in the heat of passion and strife. It was cruel and heartless, for the fatal shots were fired within a few paces of the victim's door, and within the actual hearing of his wife and children. The perpetrator of this crime must have known and felt that, on the one hand he was imprinting on his own soul the brand of Cain, and staining it with blood which, as long as he lives, shall never cease to cry to Heaven against him; and, on the other hand, that he was launching into eternity and sending before its Judge the soul of a fellow being without affording it as much time for preparation as would be granted to the vilest criminal. And if the deed was intended to serve some patriotic or political purpose its perpetrator must have known that even if the freedom and indepedence of the country were to follow as its immediate result the boon would be too dear at such a price. So much for the crime itself, which cannot be dismissed without reference to its sequel—I mean the subsequent action of a certain body of the Police Force. If the murder of Constable Finnegan must be regarded as a blot upon, and disgrace to, the fair fame of Tipperary, the action of this body of the Force who, immediately after the murder had taken place, went out into the streets, and, having broken into three houses, fired volley after volley into the homes of sixteen families, causing wanton destruction of valuable property, and terror and dismay among men, women, and children, must be for ever a disgrace to the Constabulary, and far more on the Government which pretends to rule us in justice and fairness. To the police I feel bound to say that under the present circumstances of the country they are subjected to great provocation, and no one can reasonably blame a policeman to defend his life in immediate danger, but even their most ardent supporter and warmest sympathiser cannot defend, and must necessarily condemn, the conduct of these men on Tuesday night.

Rev. M. K. Ryan, C.C., preaching at last Mass, also denounced the shedding of blood.

ACTION OF THE THURLES MAGISTRATES.

On Saturday, at the Petty Sessions in Thurles— Colonel Warren, R.M., presiding—the magistrates unanimously passed a resolution, condemning the murder of Constable Finnegan, R.I.C., Thurles, on Tuesday night last, and expressing their sympathy and condolence with his widow and family. They adjourned the Court without transacting any business, as a mark of respect to the murdered constable.

District Inspector Goulden, R.I.C., Thurles, thanked the magistrates for their kind remarks and their vote of sympathy, which, he said, would be duly conveyed to the widow and family of the murdered man. Constable Finnegan, he said, besides being an efficient officer, was a quiet, decent, inoffensive man, who never exceeded his duty, and his comrades all deeply deplored the loss of their unfortunate comrade, who was brutally murdered while going towards his home.

Mr. J. L. J. Ryan, solicitor, on behalf of the legal profession, also spoke to the resolution, paying a high tribute to the late Constable Finnegan as a police officer and a citizen, and Mr. W. G. Knox, C.P.S., also begged to be associated with the resolution.

THE FERMOY MURDER.

The seven prisoners, Michael Fitzgerald, John Mulvey, John J. Hogan, Peter Callaghan, Thomas Griffin, Patrick Leahy, and Leo Callaghan, from the Fermoy district, charged in connection with the shooting of Private Jones in Fermoy last September, were remanded at Cork Male Prison on Saturday by Mr. R. Starkie, C.B., R.M.

ULSTER FARMERS' UNION.

A meeting of the Tamlaght O'Crilly Branch of the Ulster Farmers' Union was held in the Drumard National School on Wednesday evening. A deputation from the Kilrea Branch was present. Mr. Robert McIlfatrick presided, and introduced Major McCormack, who delivered an instructive address on "Organisation, and the Work of the Union." Mr. George Crockett, Vice-President, expressed the desire of the members to affiliate with headquarters, and this was unanimously agreed upon. On the motion of Mr. Crockett, seconded by Mr. Taylor, a vote of thanks was passed to Major McCormack for his address.

A meeting of the Kilrea Branch was held in the Town Hall, Kilrea, on Thursday evening. Mr. H. A. McIlrath, President, occupied the chair. Major McCormack delivered an address on the work the Union had accomplished on behalf of the farmers since his last visit to Kilrea. It was arranged to hold a meeting in the Town Hall, Kilrea, on the afternoon of the fair day, 11th February.

Speaking at Farnworth on Saturday, Mr. Smillie declared that the Labour Party was fit to govern. It could not do worse than those who had gone before, and believed it could do better.

FIGHTING IN RUSSIA

LATVIAN SUCCESS.

Reuter's Agency states that the following official Lettish *communiqué* has been received from Riga, dated Friday, 7 p.m.:—After the great victory at Reshitza, the Latvian Army is pressing the enemy eastwards on the whole front. Our centre is nearing Lusin; our left wing has reached the Latvian-Russian boundary. Only the Lusin district, an area of about 600 square miles, remains to be liberated. In the recent operations we took 1,500 prisoners, in addition to machine-guns and railway trucks. One Communist regiment was surrounded and annihilated. Yesterday we took twelve villages.

REPORTED REVOLT AT MOSCOW.

A Helsingfors report states that rumours are circulating from Dorpat that a revolt has broken out amongst the troops of the Red Army in the garrison at Moscow.

DENIKIN'S RETREAT CONTINUED

The War Office states that a report from the British Military Mission in South Russia, dated January 22nd, indicates that the retreat on the eastern half of General Denikin's front is being continued. The Bolshevik attack against Kizlyar has now been definitely checked, and the volunteers are pursuing the retiring columns.

A force of Bolshevik cavalry having broken through at the point of junction between the Don and Caucasus armies, has caused the former to retire to the line Kuberle Station (210 miles N.E. of Ekaterinodar)—Martinovka, on the Sal (95 miles east of Rostov). The Don army has also withdrawn its right wing behind the Sal from Martinovka to its mouth, to conform with this movement.

On the 21st, 20 squadrons of Red cavalry, supported by a strong mixed force of all arms, crossed the Don at Nakhichevan, but were thrown back across the river, leaving behind one gun, seven machine-guns, and 1,000 prisoners. The attempt to cross at Rostov was also repulsed.

SIBERIAN SUCCESS.

An Exchange Tientsin telegram says:—A wireless message, purporting to come from an American flagship, reports that the revolt in Siberia continues to spread, and now affects the whole country. The belief is expressed that Koltchak is momentarily safe with the Czechs.

POLISH MOBILISATION.

According to a Warsaw report to the Copenhagen *Politiken*, from Berlin, the Polish Cabinet has already signed a mobilisation order owing to the Bolshevist advance.

THE BRITISH PRISONERS IN RUSSIA.

M. Litvinoff told Reuter's Correspondent on Saturday that the Soviet Government had his recommendation for the release of Captain Bremner, and all other British wounded, and that they were probably on their way home via Esthonia. He had a meeting with Mr. O'Grady on Saturday, but said that his Government had not yet received the British Government's reply to the request to transfer the negotiations elsewhere.

BOLSHEVIST MOVEMENT IN BULGARIA.

Reuter's Copenhagen Correspondent forwards a Sofia message of Friday's date, which says that the Premier has ordered the arrest of all the Bolshevist leaders. Fifty-five Bolshevists have hitherto been arrested. The strike in Bulgaria continues, the strikers being supported by Russian money.

PAISLEY ELECTION.

WHIRLWIND CAMPAIGN COMMENCES TO-DAY.

Telegraphing from Paisley on Saturday night, a Correspondent says:—The eve of the great fight for Paisley was marked by intense activity on the part of the three political parties, whose candidates will be on the warpath on Monday. Though rumours are afloat that another Labour man may enter the fray, the possibility of such a contingency was not to-day treated very seriously by responsible leaders. Mr. William Paul, who unsuccessfully contested the Ince Division of Lancashire, is expected in the constituency next week. Whether or not he will stand is problematical, at any rate at present.

Mr. Asquith, Mr. Mackean, the Unionist, and Mr. Biggar will certainly furnish ample fare for the consumption of the electors in the next fortnight. The programmes of the belligerents are enough to satisfy the oratorical requirements of the most avaricious. The struggle in this respect will present an almost unparalleled spectacle. In the past it has been rather unusual for statesmen of first rank to do more than address half-a-dozen meetings, or less, and leave the burden of other speaking to the smaller fry, but that precedent is not to be followed at Paisley. The veteran Independent Liberal leader promises to be in the thick of the battle all the time. Starting with an address to the local Liberal Association on Monday night he is to keep the ball rolling by the outflow of oratory on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday nights, whilst on Saturday afternoon he will use his persuasive eloquence at a meeting of women electors. Moreover, Mr. Asquith will have to assist him Mrs. Asquith and Lady Bonham Carter, both by working and speaking, whilst Sir Donald Maclean and a host of Free Liberals are to appear on the right hon. gentleman's platform.

A perfect avalanche of talk will distinguish this whirlwind contest. Mr. Mackean and his supporters are even outstripping the giant task of Mr. Asquith. Wherever a few electors are gathered together, day or night, there will be in the midst of them either the Unionist nominee himself, or some of those who are rallying round him.

The borough will swarm also with the leading lights of the Labour world. Already Mr. Biggar has been assured of the active aid of either Mr. Arthur Henderson or Mr. J. R. Clynes, and of Mr. J. H. Thomas, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Snowden and others practised in the art of presenting the Labour position in its most attractive form.

A meeting of the Executive of the Paisley Liberal Association was held this afternoon to discuss details of organisation. The members also had presented to them the letter which had been received by Mr. MacNair, Secretary of the Association, from Mr. Asquith earlier in the day formally accepting the invitation to contest the borough.

It is expected that Mr. Asquith will reach Glasgow at a quarter to ten on Monday morning. He is sure to have a big welcome, and arrangements are in progress with the object of receiving him.

A Paisley Independent Liberal expressed the view to-day that with an ordinary candidate the chance of beating Labour would be very shadowy, but that the belief was that the great weight which Mr. Asquith still carried in Scotland, despite his East Fife defeat, would pull him through.

So far as Mr. Mackean is concerned, it is known that he is a most suitable candidate, and that under the peculiar circumstances it would not have been easy to have found anyone more acceptable either to Liberal or Unionist Coalitionists. His adoption has met, it is understood, with the entire approval of the Coalition headquarters, and Colonel Gilmour, M.P., the Scottish Unionist Coalition Whip, has already signified agreement with the local Unionists' choice. As is indicated by the names of those who are to give him support, Mr. Biggar is, with slight exceptions, receiving the aid of all sections of Labour.

OBITUARY.

DR. G. A. HICKS.

The death of Mr. George Adam Hicks, M.D., took place on Saturday at his residence, 2 College Gardens, Belfast, after a brief illness. In the course of his professional practice he contracted blood-poisoning through a wounded finger, and despite the most skilful medical attention and frequent surgical treatment he gradually became worse, and expired. Mr. Hicks was in the forefront of his profession, and his reputation as a surgeon, and particularly as an obstetrician, was known even outside Ulster. He was a native of the Sligo district, and studied at the Queen's College, Belfast, graduating as M.D. in the Royal University in 1904. He was elected a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, in 1912, and was surgeon to the Samaritan Hospital, Belfast.

CASUAL DOCKERS' BIG EARNINGS.—A special rate of payment is given to Dublin casual dockers who are employed in the unloading of over-ocean vessels berthed at the "far east," or that section of the docks which lies beyond the gates of the Alexandra Basin premises. During last week, when work was pretty ample and overtime available, some of the casual dockers who were not averse to continuing handling cargo after the usual evening hour, netted some £8 each for their week's work.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

AN IMPOSED SETTLEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is often said that the British tenacity which we rightly admire is chiefly manifested in the sphere of activity and work. It is not so clearly realised that this British characteristic is even more wonderfully displayed in the sphere of thought and ideas. Of John Bull it may be said, as Cardinal Wolsey said of Henry VIII., "He is a right noble Prince, but beware how you put any idea into his mind, for be well assured, once it gets a firm hold, no power on earth will drive it out again."

For many years John Bull has been firmly persuaded that he could render Ireland peaceful, prosperous, and loyal by giving her what he believed to be good for her without taking any notice of her own wishes and demands. Long ago that superior person, Lord Macaulay, expressed this idea in his own fashion, and for the last fifty years we have had attempt after attempt to solve the Irish problem in accordance with this great fundamental principle. The idea has taken many expressions. First, we had the upas tree which must be cut down in order that the sunshine of peace and happiness might be diffused all over our country. Then there came many experiments—a satisfactory land settlement, dual ownership (that characteristically illogical form of compromise), the conservative nostrums of peasant proprietorship, extended local government, killing Home Rule by kindness, etc.

In every case the Irish, being shrewd and sensible people, took whatever seemed to them to be to their advantage, but in every case declined to express ordinary gratitude. "Why," they said, "should we be grateful to people who, while giving us things we have not asked for, refuse to grant the one thing we demand?"

Over here it was always well understood—and Nationalist leaders took no pains to conceal the fact—that "the one thing demanded" was complete, practical independence. Years ago the champions of nationality might have been content to retain one bond of union in the Crown as from 1782 to 1800. Now it is settled that even that "last link" must be severed.

It might be supposed that the British people would by this time, after so many disappointments, have begun to have some doubts about the truth of the settled idea. But, no! Once again we are assured that what we want is "an imposed settlement," and that a settlement imposed by the undivided wisdom of British statesmen, now that there is no Nationalist Party in Parliament to frustrate or confuse that supreme wisdom, is certain to afford a complete and happy solution of all our difficulties. Is there any Irishman in North or South who would not rejoice in any settlement whatever which would give us peace, goodwill, and loyalty to the great Empire to which we belong?

But can Irish Unionists be blamed if, in face of the experience of fifty years, they fear that an imposed settlement is more likely than not to make things worse than before?—Yours, etc.,

W. M. FOLEY.

Tralee, January 24th, 1920.

THE PRICE OF JUSTICE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Referring to your leading article of to-day's issue on "The Reckoning," may I say that it has seldom been my pleasure to read an article which embodied at the same time such a determination to find the truth and a willingness to discuss the matter in a magnanimous spirit? There is but one question I would ask. You say that, "from the legal standpoint, the decision of Holland cannot be disputed." Can it be possible that, according to our present system of international law, one nation may, with impunity, shield a criminal from the hands of justice?

Be that as it may, I am sure that every rational and right-minded man must see for himself the truth underlying your statements and acknowledge the validity of the arguments employed. Indeed, I think that the truth of the question turns about one of the fundamental laws of human nature. It has been justly said that "both in individuals and in masses violent excitement is always followed by remission, and often by reaction. We are all inclined to depreciate whatever we have over-praised, and to show undue indulgence where we have shown undue rigour." With regard to the guilt and punishing of the ex-Kaiser, the public mind is undergoing a change. His crimes, which everyone censured a few years ago, and around which we were prone to drape all the visionary attributes of our loathing minds, have lost much of their horror and brutality. You rightly contend that the ex-Emperor would only pose before the world "crowned with a halo of martyrdom" were the Allied Powers further to demand the penalty of his crimes. His cup of shame and misery must, indeed, be full; why need we ask more?

We have an interesting, though not absolutely accurate, parallel in the history of the world's would-be tyrant of a century ago. On a small island in mid-Atlantic, and cut off, as it were, from the rest of the universe, the greatest soldier of his age, while eking out his last days, spent his time reflecting on his position with regard to the rest of mankind. He, too, would have ruled Europe, but it was not to be so. One of his remarks, published in the "Journal" of his faithful follower, Las Cases, gives the tenour of his thoughts:—"Our situation here may even have its attractions. The universe is looking at us. We remain the martyrs of an immortal cause." With all his faults—and they were neither few nor small—the great man knew his fellows.—Yours, etc.,

"W."

Dublin, January 24th, 1920.

BURGLARIES IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The North City Improvements Association wish to make the fact known through the columns of the Press that the services of suitable watchmen are now available for the protection of the business premises of those merchants and traders who may consider it desirable to have their property specially protected during the present crisis and are prepared to contribute towards the cost of same. Traders, etc., in the following streets are requested to apply for and sign the necessary agreement forms, which can be obtained from Mr. J. J. Kearney, Hon. Secretary, 22 Mary street—*viz.*: Bachelor's Walk, Lower Ormond quay, Henry street, Mary street, Capel street, Middle and Upper Abbey streets. The area will be extended as circumstances permit.

The Committee desire it to be understood that this movement is designed solely with a view to securing protection for the premises of those who mutually consider it worth their while to incur reasonable expense to have their property protected from the criminal classes, and the greater the number of firms who join the smaller will be the cost on each.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN IRWIN, Knt.,
Chairman of Committee.

Dublin, January 24th, 1920.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN AND CHRISTIAN UNITY.

At Christ Church Cathedral yesterday the Archbishop of Dublin said that they had been hearing a great deal about Christian reunion for many years. They had had conferences, societies, discussions without end, but they did not seem to get on. He thought that until they grasped the fact that the fellowship of which the Apostles spoke, and which marked the early Christian communities, was prior in order and in importance to the ministry they should never get on with the movement towards reunion. A great movement had been set going in America a few years ago, and next year it was proposed to hold a conference on faith and order. In preparation for that conference commissions had been formed in all the great Christian communities of Europe and America, except the Roman Catholic. These commissions had reported much, and in August next a preliminary conference was to be held in Geneva. That showed how deeply the conscience of the Christian world had been stirred. His Grace mentioned that that day was being kept as a day of intercession for that great purpose, and he asked his hearers to pray for unity in the Church of God.

THE ABBEY THEATRE.

Large houses witnessed the revival, under the auspices of the Irish Dramatic Union, of "The Hard-hearted Man" and "Flurry to the Rescue" at the Abbey Theatre last night. The former, which is by Seumas MacManus, was produced by the Strand Players, and was cordially received. The principal parts were capably taken by Mr. Thomas Cruise and Mr. Bernard Cahill. In Victor O'D. Power's comedy, "Flurry to the Rescue," the Fingal Players scored a distinct success, the acting being on a high level indeed. Miss E. Duke filled the *rôle* of heroine in a manner which was cordially applauded, while the acting of Mr. Tom Burke, Mrs. Macread Duke, and Mr. Walter Farrelly also won praise from an appreciative audience.

R.I.C. CADETSHIPS.

Exam. to be held shortly.

At the special qualifying examination for above held in July last, SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, obtained 9 Successes. Best Result. At the previous 21 examinations 90 of the 78 Cadetships offered were also obtained by Students of Skerry's Dublin College.—(Advt.)

Fashionable Intelligence

Prince Arthur of Connaught will visit Liverpool on February 20th to hold an investiture on behalf of the King.

Lady Inchiquin, who spent a couple of days in Dublin last week, has returned to Dromoland Castle, Co. Clare.

It is reported that Lord Barrymore's strength is well maintained.

Lady Muriel Bertie has left London for Cannes.

Lady Musgrave has returned to Tourin, Cappoquin.

Sir John and Lady Dillon and Miss Dillon have returned to Lismullen, Navan, from England.

Sir Gilbert Greenall arrived at Kingstown on Saturday from England, and left for Mount Coote, Kilmallock, Co. Limerick.

The marriage took place in South Kensington on January 22nd between Captain Philip G. M. Elvery, D.S.O., M.C., R.A.M.C., eldest son of William Elvery, of Foxrock, Co. Dublin, and Dorothy, youngest daughter of the late J. Bradford and Mrs. Bradford, of Penn House, Yeovil, Somerset.

Dr. MacLaverty has returned to his residence, 55 Merrion square.

Mr. S. G. Reeves, L.D.S., has returned to his residence, 12 Clare street.

Miss Barry has returned to 25 St. Stephen's Green from London.

A Musical and Dramatic Recital will be given at the Aberdeen Hall next Wednesday evening at 8.15 by Sir Valentine Grace, Bart., assisted by Madame Borel, Mr. Patrick Delaney, Mr. Raymond Browne-Lecky, and Mr. D. FitzGerald, R.I.A.M. An interesting programme has been arranged.

Switzers are making a special display of Lovely Evening Wrap Coats in their Grafton street windows all this week.—Grafton street, Dublin.

Last Days of Holmes' Sale—50 doz. Black Cashmere Finish Lama Hose, double sole, perfectly seamless, 1s. 11d. pair.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Salthill Hotel, Monkstown. Proprietors, Royal Hibernian Hotel. Winter terms on application.

For the next ten days Ladies can reap a veritable harvest of bargains at Robert and Co.'s Great White Sale. See announcement on Page 2.

Spring Models at Slyne's. Silk Stockinette Jumper Suits 13½ guineas.—Slyne and Co., 71 Grafton street.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers.—Dr. W. A. N. Fox, Capt. D. M. Crowe, Capt. G. A. Shiel, Sir J. R. O'Connell, Sir J. Dillon, Lady and Miss Dillon, Capt. Booth, Rev. O'Lery, Lt. Souchale, Sir S. Greenall, Capt. Beresford, Col. Sir N. Everard, Major Ball, Capt. Sir Leslie Ellis, Sir T. G. Esmonde, Lady Musgrave, Lieut. A. Russell, Sir W. and Lady Fry, Major and Mrs. Boast, Capt. Rogerson, Major and Mrs. Jones, Major and Mrs. W. Jones, Major and Mrs. P. L. O'Neill and children, M. Comyn, K.C.; Capt. and Mrs. Watson, H. J. Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. V. Edwards, A. Mitchell, H. V. Manly, Mr. and Mrs. T. Gaisford, J. L. Fay, J. J. McGrath, B. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor, J. Low, J. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton, E. C. Browne, G. W. Dench, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pike, Mr. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Byrne, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Massey, James Comyn, M. J. Chevers, J. N. Woolfson, Mrs. D. Lyons, Miss M. E. Crowe, Mrs. Watson, Miss McTaggart, Mrs. McCullagh, Miss V. Quicke, Mrs. Waterhouse, Mrs. R. Rowe, Miss Leonard.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers.—Col. Howard, W. O. Thomas, M.C.; Capt. and Mrs. Carney, Lady Wheeler, Col. Todd, Rev. P. Gallagher, Capt. A. D. Shelton, Dr. Blackley, Major Boucher, J. M. Thomas, M. J. Nugent, M. Lynn, A. E. and B. J. Chatterton, B. L. Breedman, J. F. Atkinson, J. L. Beatty, A. H. Alerson, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle, F. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Denham, Mr. and Mrs. Evans, B. Fitzherbert, Misses E. B. and A. M. Crowe, Miss M. Smith, Mrs. Cruddas, Miss Molloy, Miss A. V. Cullen, Mrs. J. F. Gilchriest, Miss O'Farrell, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Mercier, Miss K. Green, Miss Hehir.

McBirney and Co.'s Great Annual Winter Sale—Exceptional bargains for this week.

The Mansfield Sisters have just received a delivery of their very latest French Millinery. Best Models shown only in Wareroom.—28 Wicklow street.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lr. Baggot st.

Special Sale of Tailor-made Costumes (Black and Black and White only). Usual prices, 8½ gns. to 19 gns. Sale prices from 5½ gns. Out Sizes Stocked.—Davis (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton street, Dublin.

Mourning Orders executed on the shortest notice.—Davis (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton street.

Loose Covers a Speciality. Estimates free.—Miss O'Reilly, 115 Stephen's Green, W.

Lafutaye, 17a Dawson street (late of Forrest), is showing Latest Costumes and Materials for the coming season.

BELFAST HARBOUR TRAFFIC.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FOR 1919.

The Belfast Harbour Commissioners have issued their annual return of imports and exports for the past year, from which it appears that the trade of the port is quickly recovering from the dislocation caused by the war. The amount of coal imported last year was 1,302,068 tons, compared with 1,368,248 tons in 1918. But last year only 15,000 tons were for Government use for bunkering, etc., compared with 84,000 tons the previous year. Over 9,500 tons of flax were imported, of which 5,634 was from abroad, compared with 6,457 tons for the previous year, 3,771 tons of which was from abroad. The imports of iron and steel were much the same as the previous year; 62,630 tons of iron and steel sheet and plate was imported last year, compared with 75,479 tons in 1918; 10,853 tons of iron and steel castings, as against 10,236 tons in the previous year, so that the shipbuilding and engineering industry has more than maintained its position. A considerable advance is anticipated in the amount imported during the present year. The influence of the moulders' strike is shown in the decreased quantity of pig iron imported last year 9,831 tons, compared with 13,888 tons in 1918.

The linen exports show a considerable drop, largely due to the stoppage of export of aeroplane linen and the shortage of flax for new supplies of linen goods. The export in 1918 was 45,226 tons, while last year the figure was 29,423; but while the quantity exported has decreased, there has been a considerable increase in linen price, so that the value of the export would not be so large as the quantity figures would lead one to believe.

Unmanufactured tobacco imported increased from 4,647 tons in 1918 to 10,536 tons last year; while the export of manufactured tobacco increased from 3,751 tons to 4,273 tons.

The number of cattle exported last year was 143,265, compared with 158,672 in 1918. The export of horses for war purposes increased the 1918 figures to 10,368. The export last year was 8,997. Last year 19,730 sheep and lambs were exported, compared with 26,408 in 1918, and 5,615 pigs, as against 3,765 in the previous year.

The export of potatoes last year was 221,125 tons, compared with 257,977 tons in 1918.

Imported feeding stuffs all show a marked rise. Bran from 567 tons to 8,357 tons, feeding meal from 6,732 to 14,241 tons, Indian corn from 41,395 tons to 81,268 tons.

Timber imports increased by over 50,000 loads.

Whiskey exports increased, and over 24,000 tons were shipped from the docks.

32,746 tons of sugar were imported, compared with 24,105 tons the previous year.

VINTNERS' ASSISTANTS' STRIKE.

There was no change in the position in connection with the strike of licensed grocers' and vintners' assistants in Dublin during the weekend, the houses remaining open being watched by pickets as on previous days. Yesterday the assistants formed a procession, numbering several hundreds, and carrying a banner and a large number of smaller flags, the principal streets were paraded, but there was no intervention on the part of the authorities, and the progress of the procession was not marked by any incident.

MORE ASSISTANTS COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

In the Southern Police Court on Saturday, before Mr. Swifte, K.C., two men named Whelehan and Hackett, described as grocer's assistants on strike, were charged with having unlawfully interfered with Michael O'Connor and his son, and assaulted them, on the previous day.

Mr. J. W. Davis prosecuted for the police, and Mr. E. H. Burne appeared for the defence.

It was stated that the accused, with five other men, followed two drays carrying barrels of porter. They stopped the vehicles in Adelaide road, and threw the barrels into the road. Michael O'Connor alleged that he was knocked down and kicked. The son gave corroborative evidence, and said that he also was struck, knocked down, and kicked. The men then ran away, but were pursued, the two accused men being arrested by a constable in Ranelagh, on the information of Michael O'Connor, jun. Two witnesses of the affair gave evidence, and Mr. Swifte committed the prisoners for trial, remarking that he did not think that the charge of assault was a serious one, but the other charge was of the utmost importance.

SEARCH AT LIBERTY HALL.

On Saturday evening the police searched Liberty Hall, and removed all copies of the *Watchword of Labour*.

LOITERING IN MOUNT STREET.—In the Southern Police Court, before Mr. Swifte, K.C., on Saturday, a man named Peter M'Cann, described as an ex-soldier, was charged by the police with loitering between 2 and 3 in the morning in Lower Mount street on the 13th January. He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

CLOSING PRICES.

Eng. Parity.	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices. Fri.	Sat.	Business Done. H.	L.
138	U.S. 2% Funded	100	100½	—	—
145⅛	U.S. New 4% Loan	105¼	105⅜	—	—
114⅛	Atch. Top Santa Fe	82½	83	—	—
109⅜	Do. Preference	79⅝	79⅝	—	—
106⅛	Do. New 4% Gen. Mt.	77	77	—	—
119⅞	Do 4% Con Bds	87	87	—	—
43⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	31⅝	31⅝	—	—
175⅛	Canadian Pacific	128½	127⅝	—	—
74⅝	Chesap'ke Ohio Con.	54⅝	54⅝	—	—
49⅛	Chic Mil. & St. Paul	38	38⅝	—	—
117⅛	Chicago & N. West	85⅜	85⅜	—	—
161⅛	Do. Preferred	117	117	—	—
9⅝	Denver & Rio Grande	7	7	—	—
17	Do. Preferred	12⅝	12⅝	—	—
17⅛	Erie Railroad	12⅝	12⅝	—	—
28⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	19⅝	19⅝	—	—
55⅛	Do. 4% Gl. Lien Bds.	40	40	—	—
107⅛	Gt. Northern Pref	78	78	—	—
51⅛	Do. Ore Certificates	38⅝	37⅝	—	—
122⅛	Illinois Central	85⅝	85⅝	—	—
3⅛	Interboro' Cons Con.	3	3⅝	—	—
59⅛	Lehigh Valley	43⅝	43⅝	—	—
148⅛	Louisville & Nashville	105⅝	108½	—	—
12	Miss'ri Kan. & Texas	8⅝	8⅝	—	—
40⅛	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd Bd	29⅝	29⅝	—	—
33⅛	Missouri Pacific New	25	24	—	—
15⅛	Nat of Mexico 1st Pf	18*	11	—	—
7⅛	Do. 2nd Pf.	5⅝*	5⅝	—	—
93⅛	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R.	68	68⅝	—	—
132⅛	Norfolk & West'n Com.	93⅝	96	—	—
108⅛	Northern Pacific Com	78	78⅝	—	—
22⅛	Ontario & Western	16⅝	16⅝	—	—
58	Pennsylvania Shares	42⅝	42⅝	—	—
102⅛	Reading Shares	74⅝	74⅝	—	—
48⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	34	34	—	—
100⅛	Do. 4% Mt. Bds.	72⅝	70⅝	—	—
38⅛	Chic Rock I. Pacific	28	28⅝	—	—
29⅛	Southern Railway	21⅝	21⅝	—	—
74⅛	Do. Preferred	54⅝	54⅝	—	—
137⅛	Southern Pacific	99⅝	99⅝	—	—
49⅛	Texas and Pacific	38⅝	38	—	—
168⅛	Union Pacific	122	122	—	—
91⅛	Do. Pref.	66⅝	66⅝	—	—
114⅛	Do. 4% Bonds	83⅝	83	—	—
11	Wabash Common	8	8	—	—
30⅛	Do. Preferred A	22⅝	22⅝	—	—
93⅛	Amr. Smlt. Refin. Com.	68	68	—	—
84⅛	Anaconda Copper	61	61⅝	—	—
25	British American Tobacco Ord. New	—	—	—	—
103⅛	Utah Copper	74⅝	75⅝	—	—
113⅛	N.Y. Cons Gas	82⅝	82⅝	—	—
230⅛	General Electric	167	167⅝	—	—
112⅛	National Lead	80⅝	81⅝	—	—
145	U.S. Steel Common	104⅝	105⅝	—	—
158	Do. Preferred	114⅝	114⅝	—	—
135⅛	Do. 2nd 5% Bds.	98⅝	98⅝	—	—
132⅛	Bethlehem Steel Cm. New "B"	94⅝	98	—	—
—	Silver Commerc'l Bar	132⅝	132⅝	—	—
132⅛	Anglo-French 5% Loan	96	96	—	—
55⅛	Inter M.M. Com. Cts.	38⅝	40⅝	—	—
133⅛	Do. Prefd Certs.	96⅝	97⅝	—	—
149⅛	Royal Dutch Oil	107⅝	108⅝	—	—
117⅛	Shell Transport	84⅝	83⅝	—	—
271⅛	Mexican Petroleum	193	197½	—	—
127⅛	Pan-American Pet.	91⅝	92⅝	—	—
—	Do. Pref	—	—	—	—
—	Mexican Eagle	—	—	—	—

*Asked † Ex div. ‡ Bid § Ex rights. b Ex Interest.

	Friday.	Saturday.
Call Money	7b. 8a	Nominal.
Ex. on London, 60 days' sight	3.60.00	3.58.85
Ex. on London, Demand Bills	3.63.00	3.62.03
Cable Transfers	3.63.75	3.62.75
Ex. on Paris, sight	11.96.00	12.07.00
Berlin Cheques	1⅝	1⅝
Cotton, Middling, Upland	39.30	39.25
Cotton Seed Oil, P. Summer Yellow Spot	21.65	21.75
Cotton Seed Oil, Yellow Mar	20.00	—
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	25.75	25.75
Petroleum, Standard, White	21.00	21.00
Petroleum, Credit Bal.	5.00	5.00
Spirits of Turpentine	195	195
Lard, Prime Western Steam	23.77½	24.05
Do. Midland West	23.80—90	24.10—30
Tallow, Special	17	17.00
Sugar 96 Test Centrifugal	13.04	Closed
Corn, Western No. 2 Mixed	173⅝	174⅝
Wheat, Red Winter, New Crop	237⅝	237⅝
Do. No. 1 Duluth	240⅝	250⅝
Do. No. 2 Red Winter (New)	237⅝	237⅝
Do. No. 1 Nor. Manitoba	242⅝	242⅝
Coffee, Rio, No. 4	16	16
Flour, Spring Clears	9.25—11.00	9.25—11.00
Iron, No. 2 Northern Foundry	44.50	44.50
Tin, Straits	62.50	63.00
Copper, Spot	19⅝—⅝	19⅝ 19⅝
Electrolytic Copper Spot	Steady.	Steady.
Freight, Grain, steamers to Liverpool, per bushel	Nominal.	Nominal
Freight, Grain, steamers to London, per bushel	Nominal.	Nominal
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool	123	123
PHILADELPHIA.		
Petroleum, Standard White	21.00	21.00
NEW ORLEANS		
Cotton, Middling	40.00	40.00
SAVANNAH		
Spirits of Turpentine	187½	183½
Resin, Grade K	20.00	20.00

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, SATURDAY.

Wheat on spot nominal. Receipts—Atlantic 37,000, last year 138,000; clearances 240,000, last year 338,000.

FLOUR quiet.

CORN on spot firm at 1½c. advance. Receipts—Atlantic 39,000, last year 49,000; clearances nil, last year nil.

LARD—Cash firm, with prime Western 27½ and middle West 30 points up.

COFFEE opened steady, 4 to 6 points down. The market closed steady at 6 to 4 points advance. Spot steady and unchanged.

	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July.	Sept.
To-day	15.60	15.75	15.94	16.14	15.88
Prev. day	15.54	15.69	15.89	16.09	15.84

SUGAR—Spot closed.

COTTON opened irregular, 4 points down to 12 up. The market closed barely steady, 5 points down to 15 up. Spot quiet at 5 points fall. New Orleans spot unchanged. The current week's receipts at the ports are estimated at 175,000 bales. Receipts—Atlantic, 8,000; Gulf, 17,000. Exports—Britain, 13,000; Continent, 11,000; Japan, 11,000.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June
To-day	—	36.95	36.25	34.80	34.32	32.85
Prev. day	—	37.00	36.29	34.78	34.28	32.85

	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
To-day	32.35	31.30	30.60	30.06	29.50	29.50
Prev. day	32.33	31.30	30.50	29.95	29.35	29.35

COTTON OIL firm, with yellow spot 10 points dearer.

PETROLEUM, TALLOW, and IRON steady. TIN steady at 50 points advance; spot, 63.00. ZINC (East St. Louis), 9.15.

DULUTH—Wheat—No. 1 Northern spot, 222½.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat—No. 2 red winter, spot, 221.

TOLEDO—Wheat—No. 2 red winter, spot, nominal.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat—No. 1 Northern spring, spot, 221½.

WINNIPEG—Wheat—No. 1 Manitoba, 224½. Oats steady, ½c. higher; May, 94. Wheat—Car-lot receipts—No. 1 hard nil, yesterday nil; No. 1 Northern 77,000, yesterday 41,000; No. 2 Northern 45,000, yesterday 27,000; No. 3 Northern 25,000, yesterday 11,000; No. 4 Northern 2,000, yesterday nil; other grades 86,000, yesterday 51,000. To-day's total 237,800, yesterday 130,000.

CHICAGO, SATURDAY.

WHEAT on spot quiet.

CORN opened firm, ¾c. to 1c. up. The market closed irregular, ¼c. to ½c. up. January, 145; May, 136; July, 133⅛.

OATS steady at ¼c. rise. January, 86½; May, 83½; July, 75½.

PROVISIONS opened steady. The market closed firm, with lard 27½ to 25, pork 25, and ribs 20 to 22½ points up. Lard—January, 23.69; May, 24.50; July, 24.80. Pork—January, 39.25; May, 39.30. Ribs—January, 19.90; May, 20.80; July, 21.10.

BACON steady, 25 points higher to unchanged.

HOGS firm at 25 points advance.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted. Loose.	HOGS. Light.		Heavy.	
To-day	19.25	20.00	15.40	15.70	15.50	15.60
Previous day	19.00	20.00	15.15	15.45	14.90	15.35

ROADS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

IRISH SUB-COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

The first meeting of the Roads Advisory Committee, constituted under Section 22 of the Ministry of Transport Act, 1919, is to be held at 3 p.m. on Thursday, February 5th, at the Ministry of Transport, 7 Whitehall Gardens. In accordance with the terms of the Act, the Committee consists of eleven members, five of whom are representative of highway authorities, five are representative of users of horse and mechanical road traffic, and one is a representative of Labour. The Irish members of the Committee are—Mr. P. J. O'Neill, J.P., Irish County Councils General Council, and Mr. E. White, Royal Irish Automobile Club. Mr. H. H. Piggott, C.B., C.B.E., Assistant Secretary, Roads Department, Ministry of Transport, will act as secretary to the Committee, and all communications with regard to it should be addressed to him at No. 7 Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.

One of the first questions to be submitted for the consideration of the Committee will be that of the classification of the roads of the country. The work of classification was begun by the Road Board in 1914, but was interrupted by the outbreak of war, and has now to be considered afresh.

In view of the special circumstances of Ireland, the Minister of Transport has decided to appoint an Irish Roads Advisory Sub-Committee, on which the two representatives of Ireland on the main Committee will serve. This Sub-Committee will be constituted as follows:—Mr. P. J. O'Neill, J.P., Dublin County Council; Colonel R. G. Sharman-Crawford, D.L., J.P., Down County Council; Mr. John McGarry, J.P., Mayo County Council; Mr. Thomas Duggan, J.P., North Tipperary County Council; Mr. Edward White, Royal Irish Automobile Club; Mr. R. M. Butler, Ulster Farmers' Union; Mr. J. Quigley, representative of County Surveyors of Ireland; Mr. M. A. Robinson, M.I.C.E., representative of Borough and Urban District Council Engineers of Ireland.

The first meeting of the Irish Sub-Committee has not yet been fixed, but it will be convened shortly after the first meeting of the main Committee.

DERRY JEWELLERS ROBBED.

A daring burglary was committed in Londonderry early yesterday morning, when the jewellery establishment of Messrs. M. and M. Scott was entered, and property worth over £600 stolen. An entrance was effected by dislodging an iron grille, smashing the glass door, and the removal of bars.

SKERRY'S SCHOOL, 10 Harcourt st., Dublin, provides Specialised Tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping, etc. The most up-to-date Commercial School in Ireland. Shorthand Speed Classes to suit all rates. Proficient Students assisted to situations. 393 Certificates in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping obtained by Students of the School since January, 1919.—(Advt.)

PROSPECTUS.

BELFAST CORPORATION 5 PER CENT. REDEEMABLE STOCK, 1945.

Authorised by the Belfast Corporation Act, 1889, and other Statutory Authorities.

ISSUE OF £500,000.

Redeemable at par on 4th October, 1945, unless previously cancelled by purchase in the open market or by agreement with the Stockholders.

THE BELFAST BANKING CO., LTD.,

IS AUTHORISED BY THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BELFAST to receive applications for the above Stock, which will be issued in sums of £50 and upwards (being multiples of £10) free of all charges to the applicant. The Stamp Duty on all Transfers of this issue will be borne by the Corporation. The price of this issue will be £90 for every £100 of Stock, and will be payable on application.

The object of this issue is to raise moneys for capital expenditure on the Gas, Tramways, and Electricity Undertakings.

Interest at the rate of £5 per cent. per annum will be payable quarterly on the 4th January, 4th April, 4th July, and 4th October in each year, by Dividend Warrants, at the Belfast Bank, Belfast, or any of its Branches, or at the London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd., in London, and posted from time to time to the registered addresses of the Stockholders or their authorised Agents. On 4th April, 1920, a quarter's interest will be paid on allotments applied for on or before 17th January, 1920. On allotments applied for after this date, interest will accrue from the date of payment of the price of issue.

The Stock will be redeemed at par on 4th October, 1945, unless previously cancelled by purchase or by agreement with the Stockholders.

On 4th January in each year Stock of this issue to an extent not less than 3 per cent. of the amount allotted, will be redeemed by the Corporation at not less than the issue price of £90, provided sufficient offers of Stock for redemption are received by the Registrar between the 1st and 15th of the December preceding. These offers must be on printed forms, which may be obtained at the said Belfast Bank or at the City Hall. If the Stock offered exceeds the amount which the Corporation hereby undertake to redeem, the sum available will be applied pro rata to the offers received, the amounts to be so adjusted that Stock will be redeemed in multiples of £10. The Corporation, however, will have the discretion in the first instance of redeeming in full offers of £100 of Stock and under. This provision should make the issue more attractive to investors who are sometimes deterred from investing in very desirable securities by the fear that they may have to realise at a loss.

The Stock and Dividends thereon are, by Act of Parliament (52 and 53 Vic. c. XLIII.) charged on the Borough and all other Municipal Rates, and upon all the Revenues of the Corporation from their Lands, Undertakings, Gas Works, Tramways, Electricity Works, and other property. The rateable value of the City is now £1,516,891, and is yearly increasing, whilst the funded debt of the Corporation is £4,050,000.

The Corporation are bound by Statute to pay into their Consolidated Loans Fund every year the aggregate amount of all dividends payable in that year, and such further sums as shall be sufficient, with accumulation of interest, to redeem all issues of Corporation Stock at the end of the prescribed periods; consequently there is ample Statutory provision for the redemption of the Corporation Debt. For this purpose a sum exceeding £140,000 is set aside each year out of Revenue, and the accumulated Sinking Funds now invested in Statutory Securities exceed £580,000.

A Trustee, Executor, or Administrator may, unless expressly forbidden by the instrument, if any, creating the Trust, invest any Trust Funds in this Stock.

The Stock will be registered in books to be kept at the Head Office of the Belfast Banking Co., Ltd., Belfast. It will be transferable by Deed in any sums which are multiples of £10.

Applications must be on printed forms, which may be obtained at the Belfast Bank, or at the City Hall.

Copies of the Acts of Parliament may be seen at the Offices of the Town Clerk, or at the Belfast Bank.

R. MEYER, Town Clerk.

City Hall, Belfast,
2nd January, 1920.

Copies of the Prospectus and Application Forms can be obtained from Stockbrokers.

NEW ISSUES.

TEXTILE CORPORATION, LTD.

Textile Corporation is an undertaking formed and floated under the ægis of the Rock Investment Company. It is a new financial house for the transaction of merchant banking business in all its branches, mainly in the textile and allied trades. In order to secure ready-made organisation and representation in the various commercial centres in Europe, and in other of the world's markets, the Corporation has acquired the whole of the ordinary share capital of Charles Semon and Company, of Bradford and Manchester, one of the largest merchant firms in the textile trade. In its function of a financial house it may become interested in other textile businesses as suitable opportunities occur, but it will not act as principals in actual trading. In point of personnel the new Corporation is fortunate, being officered by Mr. Bertram J. Redman, Chairman of the Rock Investment Trust; Mr. R. C. Thyne, formerly on the Executive of the Board of the Bradford Dyers' Association, and Mr. R. A. Vinter, the chartered accountant, of Bradford, while Mr. Greeley H. Lougee, of the same city, with twenty-five years' financial experience of the home and export textile trade, will act as managing director. Of the authorised capital of £1,100,000 in 1,000,000 10 per cent. Ordinary Shares of £1, and 1,000,000 Deferred Shares of 2s. each, 600,000 Ordinary Shares are now being offered for subscription at par, and 800,000 Deferred Shares at a premium of 1s. each, including 100,000 Deferred Shares, to be allotted at the issue price in trust, under a profit-sharing scheme for the benefit of the employés of Charles Semon and Co., Ltd. Applicants for both classes of shares are entitled to an allotment in the proportion of one Deferred Share to every two Ordinary Shares. The Deferred Shares are entitled, after the Ordinary Shares have received 10 per cent., to a dividend of 2s. per share, or 100 per cent., when they share equally with the Ordinary in the division of any further surplus. It should be noted that the present profits accruing to the Ordinary Shares of Charles Semon and Co., acquired by the Corporation, are more than twice the amount required to pay 10 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares now offered for subscription. The impending issue was underwritten within a few hours. The shares are a good speculative lock-up, and applicants should bear in mind that applications for Deferred Shares alone will not be entertained. The subscription list will close on or before Friday next. (Prospectus page 9.)

CUBAN OILFIELDS, LTD.

Subscriptions are invited at par for an issue of 100,000 shares of £1 each of the Cuban Oilfields, Limited. The London Joint City and Midland Bank, Limited, of 5 Threadneedle street, and 60 Gracechurch street, London, E.C., and branches, are authorised to receive applications for the shares. The company has been formed with the primary object of acquiring the right to prospect for oil over an area of approximately 6,000 acres (consisting of a property described as Prosperidad and the Mariel Mines) in the Island of Cuba, and to select out of this area 500 acres (with an option over a further 500 acres) on which to drill for oil. Mr. Lewis Hamilton made a report thereon to the Oil Trust Limited, in which he says that unfortunately no map could be procured showing the distribution of bituminous veins and known seepages of liquid asphalt, but the presence of these great masses of bituminous material are presumptive evidence of oil in considerable quantities. The plots over which this company will acquire the sub-licence will be selected under the advice of the company's consulting engineers. Certain of the plots available for selection are situated in the vicinity of the masses of bituminous material and the oil seepages referred to by Mr. Lewis Hamilton. As no cash purchase price is payable to the vendors after the payment of the preliminary expenses of the company, the entire proceeds of the present issue will be available for working capital. The shares are, of course, a speculation, but the auspices under which the company appears guarantee to shareholders a good run for their money. The share list will close on or before Saturday next, January 31. (Prospectus, page 9.)

OVER-SUBSCRIBED.

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ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE.

INSTALLATION OF NEW WARDEN

The Rev. Claude Blakeley Armstrong, M.A., was installed in his new position of Warden of St. Columba's College at Morning Service yesterday in the church attached to the College. The following Fellows were present:—Mr. E. J. Gwynn, F.T.C.D.; Mr. Henry Cole-Bowen (senior), Sir Stanley Cochrane, Bart.; Rev. R. M. Gwynn, ex-Acting Warden, and Mr. Cecil L. Smith. The Service was attended by all the pupils and a number of friends. At the opening of the Service, Rev. Mr. Armstrong was conducted to the altar rails by the two Senior Fellows, where he read the customary declaration on being instituted as Warden of the College. He was then handed to his stall by the Senior Fellow, after which the ordinary Service for the day proceeded. The Warden himself conducted the Service, and delivered an eloquent sermon. The musical part of the Service was well rendered, the anthem especially being beautifully sung. Mr. F. W. Attwood presided at the organ with his usual ability.

The new Warden of St. Columba's College is a graduate of Trinity College, Dublin. He was a Fellowship Prizeman, and obtained a First Classical Scholarship and a Senior Moderatorship both in Classics and Philosophy, as well as winning many other University distinctions. After leaving College he acted as First Classical Master at his old school—St. Stephen's Green. He was Deputy Professor of Greek in Queen's University, Belfast, and from 1914 up to his appointment as Warden of St. Columba's was Headmaster of the Cork Grammar School, where, besides his success as a teacher, he showed marked ability as an organiser, zealously promoting school games and the work of the Officers' Training Corps. Rev. Mr. Armstrong, who is just 30 years of age, belongs to a Northern family.

JUBILEE OF ST BARNABAS' CHURCH.

The jubilee of St. Barnabas' Church, North Wall, Dublin, which was consecrated on the 24th January, 1870, and of which the present Incumbent is the Rev. D. H. Hall, B.D., was celebrated by special Services yesterday. At the Morning Service the anthem, "O Sion that bringeth good tidings," was rendered by an augmented choir, Miss Lilian Whittaker taking the solo part. The Archbishop of Dublin, preaching from the text, "Moreover, He said, I am God the Father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob," commended the fund which had been founded in celebration of the jubilee to erect new buildings and improve the present ones. These words, he said, were full of meaning. It meant that God had been God from the first and would be God for all time. He wanted to emphasise the two great fundamental principles of the Christian religion. One was the faithfulness of God. We live in times of great insecurity. The war was over, but all the nations in the world found themselves in an unsettled condition. Russia, especially, was even more insecure than this country. It looked as though we were lapsing back into the barbarity of the early ages. Early in the war it looked as though wrong would triumph, but God brought us through, and now, when the world is shaken to its foundations, let us remember that that same God was to be trusted still. People had been inclined to think that the conclusions of science tend to upset our religious beliefs, but the fundamental truths of our religion have not been affected. We have learned to harness and trust the forces of nature; that is a revelation of the trust and faithfulness of God. The second principle was that of hereditary religion. Religion was a great national trust, not meant for us alone, but to be handed on. The jubilee that they celebrated that day was symbolic of hereditary religion. The work had been carried on throughout fifty years, splendidly and devotedly, by the various incumbents of that church. His Grace read a letter which had been sent by a former parishioner, who had seen the notice of the jubilee in the *Irish Times*. That letter paid a tribute, not only to the ministers, but to the friends who had endeared the writer to that church. That illustrated the spirit of fellowship which prevailed at St. Barnabas' Church, on the continued progress of which he prayed the blessing of Almighty God.

VANDRIVER ROBBED IN DUBLIN.

On Saturday night Patrick Allen, aged 23, of 90 North King street, the driver of a horse and van, the property of the Blanchardstown Flour Mills, reported to the police that when driving his van between six and seven in Upper Merrion street he was attacked and robbed by three men. One of the men, it appears, caught hold of the horse's head and the other two pulled the driver out of the van, knocked him down, one of them striking him in the face with his fist. They took the sum of £36, made up of £33 in notes and a couple of cheques, from the leather bag slung across his shoulders. The manageress of a branch shop at 38 Upper Baggot street states that she gave the money made up in a paper packet to Allen at 4.25 to take to the head office of the firm in Thomas street. Descriptions of the three men have been given to the police, who are making inquiries into the affair.

A Berne telegram, dated Saturday, states:—Sixteen thousand German prisoners from France will arrive in Switzerland shortly to be repatriated, and another seventeen thousand sick and wounded prisoners later.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY.

IRELAND v. THE REST.

TEAMS FOR FINAL TRIAL.

At the conclusion of the match between Ulster and Leinster at Belfast on Saturday the teams for the final trial game at Lansdowne road next Saturday were selected. It will be noted that O'Rourke, the Munster full-back, has not been selected for either team, and, in view of his play in the inter-provincial matches, his non-inclusion will cause some surprise. Horan and Bryant hardly justified their inclusion on the Ireland team by their play in Saturday's match, but they were playing on a well beaten side, and both have good club records this season. W. Duggan, who is picked on The Rest team as centre three-quarter, is a versatile back player, and in a year when good wing three-quarters are at a discount might well be brought on in that position, should the selected wing men not give satisfaction in the final trial. He is a sound tackler, has pace, is a good kick, and so resourceful that he would probably play well as centre, wing three-quarter, or even outside half should Lloyd not be available for all the matches. The teams are as follow:—

IRELAND.

Full-back—W. E. Crawford (Lansdowne).

Three-quarters—J. A. Dickson (Dublin University), W. J. Cullen (Monkstown and Manchester), T. Wallace (Queen's and Cardiff), C. Bryant (Cardiff).

Half-backs—A. K. Horan (Blackheath), R. A. Lloyd (North and Liverpool).

Forwards—W. P. Collopy (Bective Rangers), R. J. Crichton (Dublin University), P. Stokes (Garryowen), J. Butler (Garryowen), H. Coulter (Queen's), W. Smyth (Collegians), J. E. Finlay (Queen's and Cardiff), T. Bradley (Dolphin).

THE REST.

Full-back—J. M'Elligott (University College, Cork).

Three-quarters—P. M'Farland (Derry), W. Duggan (University College, Cork), P. Roddy (Bective Rangers), R. Hamilton (North).

Half-backs—J. O'Neill (Queen's), W. "Wallace" (Lansdowne).

Forwards—P. Stokes (University College), W. D. Doherty (Knock and Cambridge University), A. H. Price (Dublin University), J. Frawley (Garryowen), P. Roche (University College, Cork), N. Potterton (Wanderers), P. M'Guinness (Blackrock College and Pontypool), J. T. Smith (Queen's).

Substitutes:—Full-back—D. O'Rourke (Constitution). Three-quarters—Centres, A. R. Wheeler (Queen's), C. Culhane (Bective Rangers); wings, M. Wilson (Wanderers), N. Tipping (Dublin University). Half-backs—Scrum, T. Mayne (North), G. L. Moss (Lansdowne); outside, D. C. Pickeman (Monkstown). Forwards—A. Courtney (University College), S. Cross (Dungannon), W. Russell (Dublin University), W. Kenny (Blackrock College).

THE LAST INTER-PROVINCIAL MATCH.

ULSTER v. LEINSTER.

ULSTER GAIN AN EASY VICTORY.

Ulster .... 14 points.
Leinster .... 6 points.

Ulster gained an easy victory over Leinster at Balmoral, Belfast, on Saturday, the final score being a goal and 3 tries to a goal in favour of the Northern province. No further changes were made on either side, and the Ulster team, having the services of R. A. Lloyd, W. J. Cullen, T. Wallace, and J. E. Finlay, who were picked originally, but could not play against Munster, proved superior in all departments. The inclusion of the four players named made an extraordinary difference to the side, and, for the first time this season, we witnessed a match in which there was plenty of good back play. It was bitterly cold, and the ground, never a very dry one, was holding, while a strong breeze blew down the field. The attendance was well up to the average for inter-provincial games in the North, when the teams took the field as under:—

ULSTER.

Full back—J. W. Stewart (Queen's).

Three-quarters—J. A. Dickson (North), W. J. Cullen (Knock), T. Wallace (Queen's), A. R. Wheeler (Queen's).

Half-backs—T. Mayne (North), R. A. Lloyd (North).

Forwards—H. Coulter (Queen's), S. M. Cross (Dungannon), W. D. Doherty (Knock), J. E. Finlay (Queen's), A. M. Moore (North), W. J. A. Russell (Collegians), J. T. Smith (Queen's), W. S. Smyth (Collegians).

LEINSTER.

Full back—W. E. Crawford (Lansdowne).

Three-quarters—C. Bryant (Cardiff), C. Culhane (Bective Rangers), P. Roddy (Bective Rangers), M. Wilson (Wanderers).

Half-backs—A. K. Horan (Blackheath), W. "Wallace" (Lansdowne).

Forwards—W. Collopy (Bective Rangers), P. Stokes (University College), R. J. Crichton (Dublin University), W. Collis (Wanderers and Cambridge University), A. H. Price (Dublin University), N. Potterton (Wanderers), N. Purcell (Lansdowne), A. Courtney (University College).

Referee—Mr. B. M'Gown.

With the strong wind behind them, Leinster attacked at the start, but the Ulster forwards, getting the ball in the scrimmage, sent it out, and Cullen kicked well back to touch at the centre. Then Horan set the Leinster backs in motion, a good movement ending when Wilson was forced into touch near the Ulster line. The wind was spoiling the efforts of the Ulster men to gain ground by kicking, and when Cullen and Wallace looked like making some headway, the keen tackling of Roddy and Culhane upset the movement. A loose rush by the Ulster forwards carried play to the opposite 25, where Leinster were penalised. Lloyd's kick was fielded by Stokes, who punted well down to Stewart, and the latter replied to touch at half-way. Then the Leinster forwards worked down, but offside by Horan spoiled, and to the free "Wallace" replied with a neat kick to touch close to the Ulster line. Passing amongst the Leinster backs broke down, but Bryant, taking the ball along in the loose, kicked past Stewart, who, however, went back, and recovered well with a touch kick. Still Leinster kept up the pressure, and a round of passing between Collopy, Stokes, and Crichton saw the last-named held up near the line. Offside by Mayne gave Leinster a chance of opening the scoring, but Crawford kicked feebly. Horan next cut through from a scrimmage, and sent on to "Wallace," who transferred to Culhane, the last-named being splendidly brought down by Stewart. Later Purcell and Courtney headed a rush over the Ulster line, but Cullen got to the ball first, and touched down. Following the drop out, play was at midfield, when "Wallace" sent a bad pass to Culhane, which Cullen intercepted, and put in a strong run. The Ulster forwards, taking up the movement, worked up to the Leinster line. Then Wheeler was let away by Bryant, and a round of passing followed between Mayne, Lloyd, Cullen, Wallace, and Dickson, the last-named going over for a try near the touch line. Lloyd made a fine effort to convert, the ball bounding back off the cross-bar. Half-time:—

Ulster—1 try (3 points).
Leinster—Nil.

Ulster forwards went off with great dash on the resumption, and Leinster had to touch down in defence. From the succeeding scrimmage, Mayne sent the ball to Lloyd, and, after Cullen and Wallace had also handled, Dickson was presented with a certain score, but dropped his pass. Lloyd was soon again prominent, and, after a good run, passed to Wheeler, who cross-kicked, and a rush of the Ulster forwards caused Leinster to touch down again. "Wallace" had to retire injured, but soon resumed. A combined run by Lloyd and Cullen ended quickly, Roddy pulling Cullen down, and later Roddy stopped another movement, but had his kick "marked" by Lloyd, and from the free Crawford had to touch down. Leinster now seldom got beyond their 25, and a strong forward rush sent the ball over the line, Cross falling on it for a try, which was not converted. Play was not long in progress again before Russell, breaking away from a scrimmage, sent out a sharp pass to Lloyd, who sent on to Wallace, and, the last-named drawing the opposing three-quarters before parting to Dickson, the Trinity three-quarter went in for an easy try, which Lloyd converted. Leinster were now completely routed, and not many minutes later the Ulster forwards were again swarming on the line, and the fourth try was scored, Moore falling on the ball from a rush of the forwards. Leinster seldom got the ball in the scrimmages, and, with Wilson and "Wallace" both suffering from injuries, the side was being sorely pressed. Wallace, Cullen, and Lloyd indulged in another passing bout, but Roddy pulled them up. Then, when least expected, Leinster rallied. Play was in the visitors' 25 when Bryant picked up in the loose, and, making a fine run, passed to Culhane, who went up to Stewart before passing to Wilson, and the last-named being left clear of the opposing backs, ran in for a try under the posts, to which Crawford added the extra points. This one burst redeemed the play of the Leinster backs somewhat, but it was one of the few occasions upon which they entered the Ulster half during the second period of the game. Result:—

Ulster—1 goal 3 tries (14 points).
Leinster—1 goal (5 points).

NOTES ON THE GAME.

The match was the best of the series of inter-provincials, and, in contrast to the other games, was productive of a higher standard of play all round. With the Ulster forwards fairly beating the Leinster eight as regards getting possession in the scrimmages, the ball was constantly out amongst the backs, and the passing bouts in which Mayne, Lloyd, Cullen, and Wallace were the principal participators, were of a kind we seldom see nowadays in Irish football. Lloyd, who played under difficulties, his hand being injured, and as well was suffering from a strained leg, showed that he is still capable of bringing off many of the clever movements for which he was famed in pre-war days. While not so enterprising as usual, and less inclined to attempt cutting through on his own account, his handling and kicking were as good as ever, and, with Mayne, Cullen, and Wallace also playing exceptionally well, the back play of the Northern team was of a very high standard, and such as to dispel the fears we had as to the poverty of high-class backs available for selection on the international side. Unfortunately, the wing-threequarters did not impress in the same manner. Dickson, though he scored two tries, was at fault on a couple of occasions, and threw away one certain score, while Wheeler did not shape nearly so well as when playing in the centre against Munster. Stewart hardly played up to what was expected of him, but he has age on his side, and should in time develop into a really good full back. No back on the side impressed as much as Cullen, who, in attack and defence, was equally good. He is a player who never spares himself, and, if he brings down an opponent, does not consider his obligation ended there, but goes after the next man with the ball. With Cullen and either T. Wallace or Duggan, of Cork, as our centre three-quarters the international side this season would be as well served in this department as in most years. Mayne, as scrum half, could hardly have played better than he did, but both he and Lloyd were helped considerably by the splendid heeling of the Ulster forwards, the ball always coming out of the scrimmage quickly and neatly. All the forwards played well, and while W. Smyth was, perhaps, the most prominent in the loose play, Coulter, Finlay, Doherty, and J. T. Smith were all very genuine workers.

No excuses could be made for Leinster's poor display. With the wind favouring them in the first half, they were for most of the time in the Ulster half, but at no period looked like scoring. In this half the forwards got the ball fairly often, but did not let it out in the same shot style as the Northerners, and Horan was consequently handicapped. The Blackheath half-back did not strike one as being quick enough in sending the ball away, and was inclined to look for intercepted passes. No doubt, behind winning forwards his play would be very different, and the selectors must have had this in mind when picking him for the Ireland team in next Saturday's game. "Wallace," as usual, kicked well, but was overshadowed by Lloyd. The three-quarters were disappointing as a line, but Bryant, in the few chances he got, showed that he would probably be a dangerous man on a winning side. He showed pace, and handled well, but was not so good as Wilson at tackling or stopping rushes. Culhane and Roddy did an amount of good tackling, but neither shone in attack, Culhane frequently dropping his passes. Crawford had an unenviable task at full back, but came through the ordeal fairly well. Of a well-beaten pack, of forwards the best were Collopy, Stokes, Crichton, and Price.

SATURDAY'S CLUB MATCHES.

CLONTARF (8) v. BECTIVE RANGERS (5).

At Castle avenue on Saturday the home side won after a strenuous game by three points. Bective were short of several of their regular side, including Culhane, Roddy, and W. Collopy, who were playing in the inter-provincial in Belfast, and they had only fourteen men in the second half owing to Egan retiring injured, while Cormac stood down from the Clontarf side owing to injuries. Teams:—

Clontarf—C. Jackson; W. L. Freeman, J. Bell, A. E. Dallas, G. Gilbert; S. E. Polden, R. Aston; V. Dallas (capt.), H. Bell, W. G. M'Hugh, J. Watts, J. G. Cooke, T. Bell, M. Crowley, C. C. Denvir.

Bective Rangers—Parker; Atkins, O'Neill, Ellison, W. Abraham; Hammond, James Tallon; Jos. Tallon, Heffernan, R. Collopy, J. Egan, Walker, Sexton, L. Egan, Cullen.

Referee—Mr. Ferguson.

Soon after the start Abraham, O'Neill, and Parker put Bective attacking, and Jackson was forced to touch down. The Clontarf backs then got in motion, and Freeman ran strongly on the right, but was put into touch. Wild passing spoiled Clontarf's chances, but Jackson found a fine touch at the centre. Collopy put in a fine dribble, but Freeman stopped him, and Clontarf attacked, and were awarded a penalty, Dallas slipping up when taking the kick. Polden then got over the Bective line, but lost the ball, and Parker touched down. After an exchange between Jackson and Atkins, Hammond put in a high punt, and Bective rushed down, W. Abraham running across the field before transferring to O'Neill, who gave to Atkins at Clontarf 25, and the Bective wingman bored his way over for a fine try, which Hammond converted. Dallas did some fine saving work, and then dropped at goal, but sent wide, and Freeman had a burst, but was put into touch at the visitors' 25. Bective still held a lead of five points at the interval.

On restarting, there was a lot of loose forward work at midfield, and then Parker was called on to clear. Atkins gained ground, but Bective now lost L. Egan, who was injured. Atkins made a fine effort to land a penalty, but the ball dropped short, and Clontarf attacked, Ellison clearing in capital style. Aston broke away, but passed forward, and strenuous work followed in the Bective 25, till Atkins cleared. J. Bell then got in a big, lucky kick, which hopped into touch near the Bective corner flag, and M. Crowley, getting possession from the throw-in, scored far out at the left, Dallas failing to improve. Clontarf now tried hard to score, and Cooke got over for Dallas to add the points, and put Clontarf ahead. No further score came, and Clontarf left off deserving winners of a tough struggle by three points.

The state of the ground reduced the play to a forward struggle, in the main, and Bective were beaten by a better balanced side. There was little back play, though there were many good individual efforts. Jackson, at back for the winners, kicked a good length. Freeman was always aggressive on the right wing; Polden and Dallas worked hard behind the scrum, and M'Hugh, T. Bell, Crowley (of Devonport Albion), and Cooke were the pick of the forwards. Parker played a sound game at back for Bective. Atkins showed speed and resource on the wing; Ellison acquitted himself with credit at centre, and Collopy, Heffernan, Walker, and L. Egan were the best of the forwards. Result:—

Clontarf—1 goal 1 try (8 points).
Bective Rangers—1 goal (5 points).

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY (3) v. OLD WESLEY (0).

These teams met at Donnybrook, where, in spite of recent rain, the playing pitch proved to be in quite good condition, though the strong breeze was somewhat against accurate play. Teams:—

Old Wesley:—W. S. Christie; E. N. Campbell, O. W. Gilmour, S. Evans, G. L. Dart; E. Holland, A. H. Matthews; C. Adams, N. A. Clarke, A. J. Walkey, E. G. Cullen, G. A. Sandes, E. T. Vaughan, J. T. May, W. H. Moore.

Dublin University:—Marais; Russell, De Bruyn, Bingham, Tipping; Stewart, Du Plessis; Coetzee, Dowse, Peinaar, Rollins, Thompson, Troughton, Van Druten, Vercueil.

The claims of the big match in Belfast having deprived Dublin University of some of their best players, it was a comparatively weak side which they fielded on this occasion. This, however, was not without compensating advantages, from the spectators' point of view, for normally the 'Varsity are a trifle too strong for Old Wesley, while on Saturday their loss of strength brought about a levelling-up of the merits of the opposing teams, which lead to a closely-contested game. It was not, however, a game distinguished by any high standard of play, and its only features were some very solid scrimmaging work by the forwards and the excellent defence of both sides. Nevertheless, Old Wesley are to be congratulated on their showing, for it was quite a good performance, considering their form of this season, to hold Trinity to a solitary score. Indeed, at one time it looked possible that they might do even better than this, for the opening stages of play went in favour of the home side, whose forwards, working together in capital style, dominated the game for the first ten minutes. Clarke led them finely, and played a great game; nor was he left without adequate support, for Adams, Walkey, and Cullen showed themselves scrummagers to be reckoned with, and it was only the excellent defence of Marais which really kept them at bay.

Trinity were slower at finding their feet, so to speak, but presently a rather wild transfer, which Campbell failed to accept, let the visitors' backs away, and from this onwards the struggle swayed from end to end of the ground in rapid sequence. And if Marais was a brilliant back for Trinity, Christie for Old Wesley showed himself no mean performer in the same position, the work of this pair in turn being quite a feature of the opening half. Mostly the Trinity custodian was tested in his kicking and touch-finding, for, granting that Evans and Campbell at times ran determinedly, they were generally held by the opposing "threes" before reaching the last line of defence. On the other hand, De Bruyn, Bingham, and Tipping were a trio which gave the home back quite a deal of tackling to do, the last-named especially putting in some dashing work on the wing. He spoiled his display, however, once or twice by holding on too long when the reverse pass was quite a feasible proposition; but otherwise he had a big say in the doings of his side. As it was, so keen was the stopping and tackling that half-time found the score sheet blank, nor, indeed, was it till near the close of the second period that the solitary score was forthcoming.

Trinity opened their second half with great dash, and for a considerable time Old Wesley were penned on their own line. The students' pack were the better at this point, Thompson, Van Druten, Dowse, and Rollins being conspicuous, as, indeed, they were all through. Eventually, however, Clarke was instrumental in working the ball out of danger, and then in turn the visitors' defence was tested. De Bruyn cleared, and afterwards took a prominent part in several rounds of passing, but in most instances there was a lack of finish in these movements which deprived them of complete success. Ultimately, however, the visitors' backs got fairly on the run, and Russell was only bundled into touch at the corner flag, and, though Stewart was now off owing to an injury, the attack was sustained, and a moment later Coetzee was nearly in. Finally, and only just before the close, the attack prevailed, and Bingham wound up some passing by going over close under the posts. The position was a good one, but the kick was charged down, leaving the result:—

Dublin University .... 1 try (3 points).
Old Wesley .... Nil.

BLACKROCK COLLEGE (15) v. WANDERERS (5).

This match was played under adverse conditions at Williamstown on Saturday, the heavy state of the ground and the greasy ball making accurate play an impossibility. Teams:—

Blackrock College—T Kenny; Breen, V. Coghlan, J. Tierney, Bravo; P. Tierney, Foley; J. Coghlan, W. Kenny, A. Crean, Murphy, Browne, Birmingham, O'Donnell, Boland.

Wanderers—V. Browne; Sibley, P. Fennell, Alley, Dilworth; Hamilton, Brown; Cherry, Clinch, England, Groves, Lowe, O'Neill, Purdon, Ross.

Shortly after the commencement Wanderers had the misfortune to lose Sibley, who twisted his knee, and Clinch was taken out of the pack to fill his place on the wing. After some give-and-take play about mid-field a loose rush by the Blackrock forwards gave them a footing near the visitors' line, but J. Tierney kicked the ball dead. Breen, with a neat kick, put them attacking again, and, following one or two futile attempts at passing, a good movement, in which Foley, P. Tierney, and V. Coghlan handled, let Breen away, but his pass to J. Coghlan saw the latter tackled near the line. A moment later, however, the ball was kicked over the line, and V. Coghlan succeeded in getting the touch, and T. Kenny landed a goal. Wanderers played up well on re-starting, Lowe leading a rush by their forwards to the home line, where offside spoiled. With their forwards heeling better from the scrums Wanderers backs had a few attempts at passing, and Fennell cut through nicely, and was only taken down near the line. Keeping up the pressure Groves scored for them in a forward rush, and Hamilton equalised the scores by goaling. Blackrock had the best of the remainder of this half, and J. Tierney wound up a strong attack by scoring in a good position, and T. Kenny again converted.

For a long time in the second half play was of a forward nature at the centre, until Brown put Wanderers attacking with a neat kick to touch. A rush by the home forwards, in which Browne, O'Donnell, and Kenny showed up, carried play to the other end, and a fine round of passing by the Blackrock backs ended in Breen missing his pass. Recovering quickly, however, he got in a run, and gave to T. Kenny, who raced through to the line, and sent V. Coghlan over for a fine score between the posts, and T. Kenny brought off his third goal. Footwork by V. Coghlan and Breen saw the latter kicking over the line, but in the race for the ball he was brought down. A scrum on the line was given, but an infringement brought Wanderers relief. Following a nice movement, in which nearly all the Blackrock backs handled, Breen had a good run, but he was well taken down by Alley. Coming near the finish useful kicking by Fennell and Dilworth put Wanderers attacking, but they were never very dangerous.

Considering the state of the ground and ball, the match was fairly interesting, and was fought out at a good pace. The bulk of the play naturally fell to the forwards, the difficulty of handling the slippery ball causing most attempts at combination to break down. Blackrock were the better side fore and aft, but it must be taken into account that the visitors were without Potterton and Wilson (playing in the inter-provincial), and also played a man short throughout. For the winners, T. Kenny, at full, gave a very good display, his fielding particularly being first-class. V. Coghlan and J. Tierney were the pick of the three's, P. Tierney and Foley were both good at half, and worked well together. Of a good level pack, Browne, O'Donnell, W. Kenny, and Birmingham were the most conspicuous. V. Browne, Fennell, Alley, and Brown (scrum) were the best of the Wanderers' backs, while Groves, Lowe, Cherry, and Ross worked hard in the forwards. Result:—

Blackrock College—3 goals (15 points).
Wanderers—1 goal (5 points).

LANSDOWNE (3) v. OLD BELVEDERE (3).

At Lansdowne road on Saturday the return match between these teams ended in a draw of one try each. Lansdowne were without Crawford, Cunningham, and Purcell, who were playing on the Leinster team at Belfast, and De Villiers; while J. O'Brien and T. Crean were notable absentees from the Belvedere side. Teams:—

Lansdowne—J. W. M'Connell; M. S. O'Rourke, J. Matthews, F. Milligan, W. R. M'Ferran; G. Larkin, A. C. Sibthorpe; A. D. J. Brennan, S. Campbell, B. Donnelly, D. Morton, W. Moors, A. B. Robb, E. Pemberton, P. J. Whitty.

Old Belvedere—W. Fanagan; W. Cunningham, J. Jameson, V. Coyle, M. O'Brien; D. Lyons, M. O'Meara; G. Mahony, M. Judd; H. O'Driscoll, J. Murphy, M. Costelloe, M. Moloney C. Crean, P. J. Ryall.

Referee—Mr. De Villiers.

The playing pitch was in a very sodden condition in parts, and it was only with difficulty that the players kept on their feet. A heavy shower just before the start did not improve matters, and the ball became very greasy. Under the circumstances accurate back play was out of the question, but a few sharp rounds of passing relieved the match from being a purely forward struggle, and it was from handling movements that both scores were recorded. Lansdowne were first to attack, and early on Matthews clinched a nice round of passing by going over close to the posts, but the try remained unconverted. Lansdowne continued to be the aggressors, and were frequently getting possession in the scrimmages, but several attempts at passing broke down owing to the difficulty in handling the greasy ball. A free for offside to Belvedere eventually brought relief. A good run and kick by Jameson further improved matters for the visitors who carried play to Lansdowne '25, where Lyons set his backs in motion, but a dropped pass ended a very likely movement. A moment later, however, Belvedere got possession in the scrimmage, and heeling out smartly, Lyons sent to O'Meara, who transferred to Coyle, who sent O'Brien over at the corner, Murphy failing with the kick. Brennan, Donnelly, and Whitty carried play to Belvedere line, where Fanagan was seen to advantage in stopping the rush. The teams changed over with one try each to credit.

Within a few minutes of the resumption Lyons got away, and made some ground before kicking to M'Ferran, who just failed to mark. Then, after Fanagan had replied strongly to a free for offside, a huge kick by O'Meara was touched down by M'Connell. Following the drop out clever touch-finding by the Lansdowne backs transferred play to Belvedere '25, where Milligan, from a transfer by Sibthorpe, made a splendid dash for the line, but was held up by Jameson. Lansdowne were now pressing very strongly, but the Belvedere tackling was deadly. Eventually Jameson frustrated a movement of the Lansdowne backs, and afterwards O'Brien, by a clever, if lucky, piece of play, changed the venue to Lansdowne ground, but M'Connell sent them back to midfield, where play was being contested when "no side" sounded.

M'Connell played a very sound game at full-back for Lansdowne, his kicking and touch-finding being remarkably good. M'Ferran and Milligan did best of the three-quarters, while both half-backs came through the ordeal with credit. Of the forwards, Brennan, Donnelly, Campbell, and Whitty were most prominent. For Belvedere, Fanagan as full-back was never at fault. O'Brien, Jameson, and Coyle in the three-quarter line got through some good work; while the half-backs, Lyons and O'Meara, hit it off well, the former working the scrimmages to much advantage. Of a hard-working set of forwards, Mahony, Murphy, Judd, and O'Driscoll did best. Result:—

Lansdowne—1 try (3 points).
Old Belvedere—1 try (3 points).

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

	Points.		Points.
Ulster	14	Leinster	5
Dublin University	3	Old Wesley	0
Clontarf	8	Bective Rangers	5
Lansdowne	3	Old Belvedere	3
Blackrock College	15	Wanderers	5
Monkstown	15	Palmerston	0

Dublin University 2nd 30, Old Wesley 2nd 0; Blackrock College (J.C.T.) 3, Belvedere College (J.C.T.) 0; Wanderers 2nd 17, Blackrock College 2nd 0; R.S.P.U. 2nd 6, Monkstown 3rd 0; R.S.P.U. 5, C.Y.M.S. 3; St. Andrew's College (S.C.T.), 3, Mountjoy School (S.C.T.) 0; Monkstown 2nd 6, Palmerston 2nd 3; Clontarf 3rd "A" 10, Mountjoy School 2nd 0; Dungannon R.S. 6, Foyle College 5.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.—Lancashire 33, Northumberland 5; Newport 19, Swansea 0; Yorkshire 16, Cumberland 6; Gloucester 7, Somerset 5; Bath 19, Bristol 9; Cambridge University 19, Richmond 11; Leicester 22, The Army 3; St. Bartholomew's Hospital 11, Harlequins 3; Blackheath 13, Cardiff 6; Guy's Hospital 34, London Scottish 0; Aberavon 3, Llanelly 0; Cambridge University 45, Bedford 4; Northampton 43, Old Merchant Taylors 9; United Services 23, Exeter 8; Stroud 18, Monmouth 9; Neath 14, London Welsh 0; Rosslyn Park 13, Old Leysians 10; Coventry 19, Rugby 3.

HOSPITAL CUP TIES.

The following is the draw for the Hospital Cup ties:—

First Round—(A) Mercer's v. Dentals.

Second Round—(B) Richmond v. Adelaide; (C) Winner of (A) v. Baggot street; (D) St. Vincent's v. Mater; (E) Meath v. Dun's.

Third Round—(F) Winner of (B) v. Winner of (E); (G) Winner of (C) v. Winner of (D).

Final—Winner of (F) v. Winner of (G).

First round to be played before the 31st January; second round to be played before the 15th February; third round to be played before the 29th February; final round to be played before the 15th March.

MERCER'S HOSPITAL v. DENTAL HOSPITAL.

The first round of the Hospital Cup, between Mercer's Hospital and the Dental Hospital, will be played to-day at Donnybrook ground at 3.15. The following will represent the Dental Hospital:—Marks; Wilson, M. J. O'Meara, Matthews, Wayland; Henchie, Cunningham; Dunne, Lowe, Boyers, Daly, M. P. O'Meara, Hyland, McIver, Roe.

ENGLAND v. FRANCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Saturday.

The following is the French Rugby team to play England next Saturday:—

Full-back, Fabre; three-quarter-backs, Serre, Rieu, Crabos, and Jourregny; half-backs, Billai and Strumiseo; forwards, Lubin, Pons, Sobedie, Cassayet, Plech, Thierry, Laurent, Guichemerro.

ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY'S BELFAST CITY CUP MATCHES.

In the Belfast City Cup competition on Saturday the two Dublin teams, Bohemians and Shelbourne, suffered defeat; but while the extent of Celtic's score in their match with Shelbourne leaves no doubt regarding their superiority, it may be said that Glentoran were lucky to defeat the amateurs at Dalymount Park. Their first goal was the outcome of an evidently preconceived plan, for immediately the game had been started, the ball was passed out to Moore. The latter crossed it into the centre, and the home defence, taken by surprise by the suddenness of the attack, Gowdy had the ball in the net before the spectators had time to realise what had happened. The second goal came rather softly to Gowdy ten minutes from the end of the match. Had Bohemians availed of the opportunities which were offered the forwards, however, the result, if not actually in their favour, might have been different, but it was again a case of the home attack being developed up to a certain point and collapsing there. Twice, in fact, did the Bohemian inside men fail with practically an open goal before them. Nor did the Glentoran forwards make the best use of their chances; indeed, for a team that had so much of the play in their favour, they did poorly enough. Their backs, however, were always masters of the situation, and even when they had the wind and sun against them in the first half, they were seldom in serious difficulties. The conditions under which the game was played were not conducive to good football, but Glentoran were always collectively the better side, their half-backs and forwards playing really good football on the extremely soft ground, which cut up badly during the opening half. The Bohemian defence all through stood up to their work right well behind over-played forwards, who displayed little initiative individually, and were unable to sustain any of their efforts collectively.

The Shelbourne team were at full strength in the match with Celtic at Belfast, and at the interval they held a lead of a goal to nil, the point being registered by Whiteside, but their goal-getting ended there. Celtic, on the other hand, netted the ball four times in the second half, Sullivan, who played a fine game, beating O'Kelly thrice, the other goal accruing to Mulholland.

The feature of the match between Cliftonville and Glenavon at Solitude was the excellent goal-keeping of the Lurgan team's custodian, Morrow, who was chiefly instrumental in his side sharing the points of the Lurgan team's custodian, Morrow, who was the result of the meeting of Linfield and Distillery at Grosvenor Park, Belfast, where a fine display of goal-keeping by Steele saved Distillery from defeat.

OTHER RESULTS.

LEINSTER SENIOR CUP.

	Goals.		Goals.
Jacobs	1	Olympia	0
St. James's Gate	2	Avonmore	0

LEINSTER LEAGUE—I.

University College	5	Y.M.C.A.	2
G.H.Q. School of Science	3	Worcester Regt.	2

LEINSTER LEAGUE—II.

Bohemians C	3	Ulster 2nd	1

JUNIOR INTERPROVINCIAL TRIAL.

Possibles	1	Probables	0

ENGLISH LEAGUE, I.—Preston N.E. 2, Notts Co. 1; Derby Co. 5, Sheffield U. 1; Sheffield Wed. 3, Burnley 1; Aston Villa 1, Woolwich Arsenal 0; Everton 4, Newcastle U. 0; Liverpool 3, Bolton W. 0; Manchester City 1, Middlesbrough 0; Sunderland 3, Oldham A. 0; W.B. Albion 2, Manchester U. 1; Bradford City 3, Chelsea 1; Blackburn Rovers 3, Bradford 3.

ENGLISH LEAGUE, II.—West Ham 1, Bury 0; Birmingham 1 Stockport Co. 1; Blackpool 3, Clapton Orient 0; Huddersfield 1, Tottenham 1; Grimsby 1, Barnsley 1; Fulham 1, Wolverhampton W. 1; Leicester City 3, Hull City 2; Rotherham Co. 3, Lincoln City 0; Bristol City 1, Port Vale 1; Coventry City 1, South Shields 1.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.—Brighton and Hove 1, Plymouth A. 0; Crystal Palace 0, Southend 0; Cardiff City 2, Luton Town 1; Exeter City 2, Gillingham 1; Millwall Athletic 2, Bristol Rovers 1; Northampton Town 0, Norwich City 0; Newport County 2, Merthyr Town 1; Portsmouth 3, Brentford 0; Queen's Park Rangers 2, Southampton 1; Swindon Town 0, Reading 0; Watford 1, Swansea 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.—Clydebank 2, Celtic 0; Kilmarnock 2, Raith Rovers 0.

SCOTTISH CUP.—St. Mirren 3, Stevenston Utd. 1; Hearts 5, Nithsdale Wanderers 1; Lochgelly 2, Clachnacuddin 0; Third Lanark 4, Inverness 1; Dundee 1, Airdrie 0; Rangers 0, Dumbarton 0; Galston 0, Hibernians 0; Partick Thistle 3, Motherwell 1; Queen's Park 2, Hamilton A. 0; Dumbarton Harp 5, Alloa Ath. 1; Armadale 1, Clyde 0; East Stirling 6, Thornhill 0; Royal Albert 7, Forrest Mhs. 0; East Fife 4, Arthurlie 0; Albion Rovers 0, Dykehead 0; Morton 4, Forfad Athletic 0; St. Bernards 2, Bathgate 0.

AMATEUR INTERNATIONAL.

WALES v. ENGLAND.

At Merthyr on Saturday, on a soft ground and in blustery weather, the English Amateur XI. completely outplayed the Welsh team, who gave a very feeble display, and were beaten by 9 goals to nil. From the outset the English forwards took command of the game, and although they scored only twice in the first period they were worth more goals than they got. After change of ends, however, the English front rank settled down, and goal followed on goal until seven had been added to the half-time score. The teams were:—

Wales—Owen (Welsh Nomands); Trevor Jones (Wrexham), Pierce (Bangor); Jenkins (Cardiff Corinthians), Walter Jones (Rhocymedre), Carter (Saltney); Hughes (Connah Quay), Reg. Jones (Rhos), Joseph (Holyhead), C. Davies (Bangor), and Edwards (Merthyr).

England—F. J. Mitchell (Manchester University); B. H. Gates (London Caledonians), J. S. F. Morrison (Sunderland and Cambridge University); J. E. Payne (Leytonstone), G. Atkinson (Bishop Auckland), C. W. Harbidge (Reading); F. W. H. Nicholas (Corinthians), Miles Howell (Oxford University), W. Gardner (Bishop Auckland), R. Sloley (Corinthians), and J. Donaghy (South Bank).

LEINSTER JUNIOR TEAM v. ULSTER.

After the trial match on Saturday, the following Leinster junior team was selected to play Ulster at Belfast on February 4th:—Coleman (St. James's Gate); Bowman (St. James's Gate), Lynam (Jacobs); Boyne (Jacobs), Hanlon (Erneville), M'Keown (Ulster); Stafford (Bohemians), Pollock (St. Mary's), Keogh (Avonmore), Davies (Midland Athletic), Cribben (C.B.P.P.U.), Connell (Richmond Asylum).

YACHTING.

THE AMERICA CUP.

We learn that the New York Yacht Club is communicating by letter with the Royal Ulster Yacht Club points of technical detail connected with certain conditions of the challenge for the America Cup. Sir Thomas Lipton, further interviewed on Saturday, stated that he did not regard this silence as indicating a hitch in the negotiations. The two points to which he attached the greatest importance were those already agreed to—viz., the Sandy Hook course and the date of the contest. No other conditions in his challenge could give rise to serious disagreement. Probably in reference to his suggestion to dispense with the Marconi rig there were technical details which the Defence Committee preferred to communicate by letter rather than cable. He did not regard the question of Marconi rig as of vital importance. He had suggested to do without it, but if the New York Committee did not agree to impose it it would be optional for either challenger or defender to adopt it.

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LICENSED VINTNERS' ASSISTANTS' STRIKE.

(COMMUNICATED.)

Yesterday the fourth general meeting of the licensed trade of the city and suburbs since the first of the month was held in the Commercial Buildings, Dame street, Dublin, when, as on former occasions, practically the entire trade of the area affected were in attendance.

Mr. John Walters, Chairman of the Association, presided, and, in the course of a very interesting address, said that for the fourth time they had come together to take stock of the situation since their assistants struck work on the first day of the new year, and he was very glad to say that since they met on the previous Sunday their cause had progressed most satisfactorily. (Hear, hear.) He knew that he was voicing all their feelings when he said that they could not depart one iota from the position which they had taken up at the start—namely, that, while they were prepared to negotiate in any way—conference, arbitration, or otherwise—on the question of wages, they would never allow of any interference on the question of hours. (Cheers.) He had already said this so often that it was beginning to sound like an echo; but, at the same time, he thought that it could not be repeated too often, so as to emphasise the considered judgment and decision of the licensed trade of Dublin, that from every point of view the present working or opening hours were only reasonable for public requirements, and not at all unreasonable to the employés, all things considered. (Hear, hear.) Only six years ago their working hours were twenty-one hours a week longer than they are to-day, and yet there was no murmur against them at that time. At that time also the work was much heavier and more continuous, as the volume of trade—or actual commodities sold—was, he thought, at least twice what it was at present. It was fairly clear, therefore, that what they were up against was not so much an honest and sincere desire to ameliorate their position on the part of the assistants as an aggressiveness which the employers could not tolerate. (Hear, hear.) During the week he saw a letter in one of the daily papers suggesting that the assistants should be supported because their activities were indirectly calculated to serve the cause of teetotalism, social reform, and what not. Well, the teetotallers were not a very popular party in any country, and he doubted whether their opponents in this struggle would welcome their championing of their cause. He only mentioned the matter to show what company they had been brought into by the nature of the demands they had made upon their employers. At all events, they in the licensed trade were never afraid of the teetotal party, or any other party which attacked them, and it was clear to him, looking around him there, that they were not afraid of the attack that was being made upon them now. (Loud cheers.) During the past few days a number of traders—some very prominent ones amongst them—had withdrawn from the settlement made with the assistants, and had either closed their premises or were working with their own families. These men at the outset had made an honest mistake, not realising the gravity of any concession on the question of hours or Sunday trading until it was brought home to them. They had now fallen into line with their fellow-traders—(loud cheers)—and he believed that if the strike continued much longer they would have back practically all those who had settled, and he and the general body of the trade would welcome back any trader who recognised his mistake and came back to the fold. (Cheers.) He had never from the start doubted the determination and loyalty of the rank and file of the trade, knowing full well that they would realise the seriousness of the situation, and could not be stampeded into settlements with the Union. (Cheers.) He was proud that in this crisis it fell to his lot to fill the chair of an Association whose members had shown, in the first place, such sound judgment, and then such cohesion and solidarity to back up that judgment. (Loud cheers.) He, for one, had no doubt as to the result. They all had no doubt of the result. But he did not desire to exult in any victory over the assistants, who, he believed, were very largely divided on the action that they had taken, and with whom they would, he hoped, be living in peace and harmony before long. He would be very glad to extend the hand of friendship to them at the earliest possible moment and let bygones be bygones; but he felt obliged to say that as long as they remained in their present recalcitrant attitude as to hours and Sunday trading, so long would the trade—aye, if it took six or twelve months—stick to the position in which they were to-day. (Hear, hear.) They could not do otherwise; they had no right to do otherwise. He had said already that, after all, the working hours were the legal hours, for the various suggestions that had been made for adjustment of staffs to meet shorter hours may appear all right on paper or uttered across a table, but could not be put into practice. (Cheers.) The secretary of the assistants said that they could open the twenty-four hours of the day if they liked, but they (the employés) would only work fifty hours. He had also said insulting things in the advertisement of the assistants' meeting that day, and evidenced a spirit which in this unfortunate struggle he was glad and proud to see the trade did not reciprocate. He (their Chairman) exhorted them to maintain that spirit to the end, to be calm and tolerant, but determined that, come what would, nothing would shake their resolution to defend those rights and those duties which, as long as the entire community wanted the present opening hours to remain as they were, it was their duty as traders to maintain against all odds. (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

Mr. Michael Humphreys, Vice-Chairman, in a brief speech, emphasised the necessity for a continuance of that cool and dispassionate determination which the trade had evinced so far. Their cause was just, their fight was clean, and they were not afraid or ashamed to leave their case to the judgment of all fair-minded men. As their Chairman had said, the question of hours and Sunday trading belonged to the public, and until the public were willing to part with them they in the licensed trade had no right to do so; and, so far as he could see from that great meeting and from the set expression which he saw upon the hundreds of faces all around him, there was no danger whatever of any such thing happening. (Loud cheers.)

The meeting was also addressed by the following:—Messrs. J. Doyle, jnr.; Bernard Fagan, John Carolan, P. Conway, and Pierce Ryan.

The meeting unanimously and with acclamation reaffirmed the original resolution passed at the Aberdeen Hall on the 29th ulto., after which the meeting terminated.

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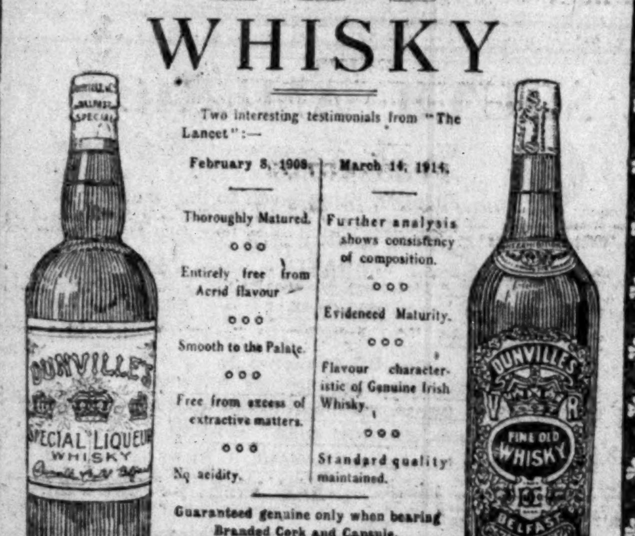

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

DUBLIN ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Saturday.

Barometer at 1 p.m.—29.90.

Wind and Weather—W.S.W. wind, strong breeze; dull and overcast; showery.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Snowdon, ss. Slievemore, ss. Greenore, from Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. Patricia, from Cardiff, with goods; ss. Kerry, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Pulbain, from London, with goods; ss. Puffin, ss. Alyn, ss. Agnes Ellen, from Garston, with coals; ss. Blackwater, from Whitehaven, with coals.

Foreign Departures—Ss. Tommeliten, of Bergen (Norway), 228 tons register, Captain Petersen, for Brest, with coals; ss. Benbane Head, of Belfast, 3,269 tons register, Captain Pickford, for Greenock, light.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Snowdon, ss. Slievemore, ss. Greenore, for Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. Louth, ss. Blackrock, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Puma, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Clarecastle, for Manchester, with porter; ss. Braedale, for Garston, light; ss. Nephrite, for Llandulas, light; ss. Talacre, for Point of Aire, light; ss. Dinorwic, ss. St. Mirren, ss. Cornelian, for Ayr, light; ss. The Baron, for Ormeshead, light.

Sunday.

Barometer—29.70.

Wind and Weather—Strong Southerly wind; dull and overcast.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Arvonia, ss. South Stack, from Holyhead, with passengers and goods; ss. Killiney, ss. Claddagh, ss. Belfast, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Oak, from Newport, with coals; ss. The Viscount, from Garston, with coals; ss. Wheatfield, from Troon, with coals; ss. Marena, from Port Talbot, with ore; ss. Clareisland, from Manchester, with empty barrels.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Lady Wimborne, for London, with goods; ss. Christiana, for Manchester, with empty barrels; ss. Nora, for Garston, with timber; ss. Puffin, ss. Harford, for Garston, light; ss. Blackwater, for Liverpool, light; ss. Alyn, for Piel, light; ss. Agnes Ellen, ss. Saltom, for Workington, light; ss. Fodhla, for Ayr, light; ss. Mayflower, for Ormeshead, light.

LLOYD'S SHIPPING NEWS.

Mails.

AUSTRALPLAIN, Fremantle for the United Kingdom, arrvd. ...
ANDES, for Brazil, left Southampton 23rd.
AUSTRALIAN, Fremantle for the United Kingdom, arrvd. Alexandria 17th.
ACCRA, for Liverpool, left Las Palmas 21st.
ANGORA, for Bombay, left Gravesend 24th.
APPAM, from Africa, arrived Liverpool 25th.
BOTANIST, for Calcutta, left Liverpool 20th.
BALTIC, from Liverpool, arrived New York 24th.
BURMA, from Liverpool, arrived Rangoon 16th.
BENUE, from Liverpool, arrived Lagos 18th.
BRAEMAR, for Rangoon, left Liverpool 24th.
BRITTON, for Southampton, left Madeira 23rd.
CITY OF DUNKIRK, London for Port Natal, left East London 20th.
CITY OF YORK, from Hull, arrvd. Bombay 19th.
CITY OF MADRAS, Sydney for London, left Port Natal 20th.
CITY OF KARACHI, Calcutta for London, ar. Suez 21st.
CARMANIA, L'pool for New York, ...
CARMANIA, Liverpool for New York, left Halifax 22nd.
CITY OF WINCHESTER, from Wellington, arrived Mersey 25th.
CITY OF BOMBAY, Sydney for Manchester, arrvd. Port Pirie 20th.
COLUMBIA, for New York, left Moville 25th.
CITY OF MARSEILLES, Liverpool for Calcutta, left Colombo 19th.
CARMANIA, from Liverpool, arr. New York 24th.
CITY OF DUNKIRK, London for Beira, arrived Port Natal 22nd.
CARDIGANSHIRE, from Kobe, arrived Gravesend 25.
DUNVEGAN CASTLE, from London, arrived East London 22nd.
DUNSTAN, for Para, left Liverpool 24th.
GIESSEN, for Buenos Ayres, left Cardiff 25th.
GARTH CASTLE, Port Natal for England, arr. Beira 21
GLOUCESTERSHIRE, Rangoon for London, arr. Suez 21
GOORKHA, London for Beira, left Delagoa Bay 22nd.
GOORKHA, London for Beira, arrvd. Delagoa Bay 21st.
HIGHLAND GLEN, London for River Plate, left ...
HOVA, from London for Natal, left Delagoa Bay 22nd.
IYO MARU, London for Japan, left Shanghai 19th.
KHIVA, for Yokohama, left Gravesend 24th.
KENUTA, for South America, left Liverpool 24th.
KASHGAR, Yokohama for London, arrvd. Bombay 19th.
KASHMIR, London for Japan, arrvd. Bombay 19th.
KOURSK, from Port Said, arrvd. Mersey 24th.
LAPLACE, for Liverpool, left Buenos Ayres 22nd.
MANDALA, for London, left Colombo 19th.
MELIFA, from Bombay, arrived Gravesend 24th.
MONTENEGRO, for West Africa, left Liverpool 24th.
MERCIAN, for Boston, left Liverpool 24th.
MOREA, Sydney for London, left Port Said 20th.
MELITA, Bombay for London, left Plymouth 23rd.
NANKIN, Calcutta for London, left Marseilles 22nd.
NYANZA, for Hong Kong, left Southampton 23rd.
NAVIGATOR, for Natal, left Gravesend 24th.
OSTERLEY, for Brisbane, left Gravesend 24th.
OXFORDSHIRE, L'pool for Rangoon, left Colombo 20.
ORONTES, for London, left Port Said 21st.
ORTEGA, Coronel for Liverpool, called Mollendo 20th.
POLGLASS CASTLE, from St. John, arr. Clyde 22nd.
PRETORIA, from Clyde, arrvd. St. John 23rd.
PARISIAN, from Cardiff, arrvd. Alexandria 21st.
PORTO, Alexandria for Devonport, arrvd. Gibraltar 23rd.
PRAHSU, from Liverpool, arrived Dakar 22nd.
SAGAMA RIVER, for London, left St. Vincent (C.V.) 21
SIPTANG, from Liverpool, arrived Rangoon 18th.
TACTICIAN, for Galveston, left Liverpool 25th.
VERENTIA, from St. John, arrvd. Avonmouth 23rd.
VERENTIA, from St. John, arrvd. Bristol 23rd.
VIRGIL, for Liverpool, left Las Palmas 21st.
WAYFARER, for Liverpool, left New Orleans 23rd.
YOKOHAMA MARU, for Kobe, left Gravesend 24th.

Steamship Movements.

ARENSBURG, for Plymouth, left St. Vincent 20th.
AGAMEMNON, for London, left Kobe 15th.
BEN LOMOND, from London, arr. Port Swettenham 20
CLAN MACBEAN, Chittagong for London, called Aden 22nd.
CLAN OGILVY, for Liverpool, left Kilindini 21st.
CLAN CHATTAN, Bombay for London, arr. Colombo 28
CARRIGAN HEAD, from Dublin, arr. St. John 24th.
CLAN MACPHEE, for Delagoa Bay, left Natal 22nd.
CLAN MORRISON, from Madras, arr. Gravesend 25th.
HELENUS, for London, left Shimonoseki 17th.
IDOMENEUS, Yokohama for London, arrived Suez 21.
KNIGHT OF THE GARTER, from the Clyde, arrived Singapore 20th.
MATINA, from Garston, arrived Teneriffe 24th.
MANCHESTER CITY, for L'pool, left Port Natal 22nd
MAHRONDA, for Liverpool, left Calcutta 18th.
MERCHANT PRINCE, for Manchester, left Alexandria 20th.
MASHOBRA, London for Calcutta, arr. Port Said 20th.
MERCHANT PRINCE, for Manchester, left Alexandria 20th.
NELEUS, Yokohama for London, arr. Port Swettenham 21st.
PALM BRANCH, for Pera, left the Clyde 24th.
POPLAR BRANCH, from the Clyde, arrvd. Florianopolis 19th.
SIBERIAN PRINCE, Swansea for New York, arrvd. Portland 24th.
SATURNIA, for Glasgow, left Portland, Maine, 24th.
SHADWELL, London for Calcutta, left Colombo 26th.
SITOEBONDO, for Java, left Shields 22nd.
THYDEUS, for Liverpool, left Penang 19th.
ULYSSES, Clyde for Adelaide, left Port Natal 21st.

Casualties.

American schooner Le Jok, arrived Jacksonville leaking; cargo reported badly damaged.

American steamer Deseto Baton Rouge, for Copenhagen, arrived Newport News; engine trouble.

British steamer Elaine arrived Norfolk leaking.

British steamer Bhamo, for Rangoon, returned Liverpool 24th; engine trouble.

British steamer Canadian Gunner ashore Cape Henry.

EX-GERMAN LINER EXPECTED.—Flying the house flag of the Cunard line, which company is managing her for the Government, the ex-German liner, Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, is due at Plymouth this week from New York with a large number of passengers, among whom are included Lord Leverhulme, Major-General Sir Hugh McCalmont, Lady Katherine Howard, Captain A. Russini, Mr. H. T. Hobson (Wheat Export Company), Mr. and Mrs. A. Palanca (Italian Ministry), Mr. A. A. Thibandeau, Mr. Angus Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Prince. From Plymouth the liner will proceed to Cherbourg with a large number of Continental passengers, and thence to Liverpool direct.

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SPORTING NEWS.

WINDSOR MEETING—SATURDAY.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, SATURDAY NIGHT.

Another very large company visited the Clewer Meadows to-day for the closing stage of the Windsor January steeplechasing fixture. Layers of the odds on Cylenius for the Montem Four-Year-Old Hurdle could not have noticed how well Chin Chin ran at Newbury earlier in the week. The latter reached home slightly in front of Hanway, whose rider promptly lodged an objection on the ground that Stubbs, on Chin Chin, bumped Hanway, and that Stubbs struck Hanway with his whip. The pair certainly finished very close together, but that Stubbs used his whip, as alleged, is more than doubtful. The Stewards very properly dismissed Wilkins' complaint, and moreover not only estreated the deposited fiver, but fined him a fiver in addition. The action of the officials was generally applauded, and, perhaps, jockeys will not be quite so ready in future to lodge apparently trivial objections. In the Gardner Hurdle Race, Willing easily added to his success of the previous afternoon, and was subsequently transferred to Mr. Cecil K. Lowndes. The Over the Top Steeplechase was a curious kind of race, which fell to a Newbury failure, Pencoed, but close observers of the runners may feel justified in expecting that more than one of the beaten animals will be seen to better advantage in the near future. Kirkharle, in the hands of Piggott, annexed the Corporation Handicap in good style from Pennant. The success of old Carrigrue in the Dorney Steeplechase, in the hands of his owner, proved quite the most popular win of the meeting. The veteran was bought in at 540 guineas, and will probably be seen winning again very shortly. In conclusion Bell Toll at last reproduced a bit of his Manchester form and ran Antipater out of the race for the Barrack Steeplechase after a close and exciting finish. Details:—

1.30—MONTEM 4-Y.O. HURDLE, £100. 2 m.
Mr. C. Hatry's b. c. CHIN CHIN, by Santoi—Focus, 11-9 .... Stubbs 1
Mrs. C. de Mestre's HANWAY, 10-9 .... Wilkins 2
Mr. P. Nelke's CYLENIUS, 11-9 .... Piggott 3
Also ran:—Silver Doctor (G. Calder), Irish Lake (G. Duller), June Rose (Wells), White Prince (Harland), Bay Tree (Lawrence). (Winner trained by P. Woodland.)
Betting—11 to 8 on Cylenius, 9 to 4 agst. CHIN CHIN, 7 to 1 Hanway, 100 to 8 June Rose, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a short head; half length. An objection to the winner for bumping was over-ruled, the deposit forfeited, and Wilkins, the rider of Hanway, was fined £5.

2.0—GARDENER HURDLE, £100. 2 m.
Mr. W. Lea's br. h. WILLING, by Willonyx—Game Chick, 6, 12-5 .... Wilmot 1
Mr. J. Coleman's SUBMIT, a, 11-12 .. E. Morgan 2
Mr. E. Caldicott's RED MIKE, 6, 10-11 .. Hulme 3
Also ran:—Outrun (G. N. Bennett), Doubtful Footsteps (G. Harty), Angus (Lefebvre), Flavia (Threlfell), Geordie (D. Dick), Tantalus (Reardon). (Winner trained Privately.)
Betting—Evens Submit, 5 to 1 each agst. Flavia and Geordie, 6 to 1 Angus, 8 to 1 Red Mike, 100 to 8 WILLING or any other.
Won by four lengths; same. The winner was sold to Mr. C. K. Loundes for 369 gns.

2.30—OVER-THE-TOP 'CHASE, £200. 2 m.
Col. J. Phillips's PENCOED, 5, 11-7 ...... Harty 1
Mr. P. Browne's ROBERT HEATH, 6, 11-2 .... R. Spares 2
Mr. D. Blew-Jones's MARC SIMON, a, 12-0 .... R. Gordon 3
Also ran:—Impressioner (A. Stubbs), Long Valley (Burford), Belstead (Gurney), Daydawn (Hulme), Superman (Mr. P. Roberts), Resolute (H. Smyth). (Winner trained by D. Harrison.)
Betting—5 to 4 on Daydawn, 2 to 1 agst. Impressioner, 10 to 1 PENCOED or any other.
Won by two lengths; six lengths.

3.0—CORPORATION HURDLE, £250. 2 m.
Mr. A. Straker's b. c. KIRKHARLE, by Thrush—Ponteland, 5, 11-7 .... Piggott 1
Mr. E. Caldicott's PENNANT, a, 12-1 .... Hulme 2
Sir B. Watts's HURRY ALONG, 6, 11-2 .... A. Escott 3
Also ran:—The Settler (Threlfell), Germiston (Hodge), Bigotry (A. Lane). (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Hurry Along, 9 to 4 KIRKHARLE, 4 to 1 Pennant, 7 to 1 Bigotry, 8 to 1 The Settler, 20 to 1 Germiston.
Won by two lengths; three lengths.

3.30—DORNEY CHASE, £200. 3 m.
Capt. N. de Trafford's ch. g. CARRIGRUE, by Cannock Chase II.—Rose Amber, a, 11-13 .... Owner 1
Mr. A. E. Walker's BERNERAY, a, 12-4 .... R. Morgan 2
Mr. J. Powell's CELERITY, a, 12-4 .. R. Gordon 3
Also ran:—Crimson Rambler VI. (J. Barrett), Rillet (Dainty), Buck Up (Spares). (Winner trained by H. Brown.)
Betting—Evens CARRIGRUE, 2 to 1 agst. Berneray, 6 to 1 Rillet, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by four lengths; a bad third. The winner was bought in for 540 gns.

4.0—BARRACKS 'CHASE, £150. 2 m.
Mr. N. Chappell's ch. g. BELL TOLL, by Agar—Curlew, a, 12-1 .... Threlfell 1
Capt. J. Rogerson's ANTIPATER, a, 12-1 .... Piggott 2
Mr. P. Matthey's SQUARE DANCE, a, 12-10 .... A. Saxby 3
Also ran:—The Bore (Mr. H. Brown), Irish Cheer (L. Harland), Sergol (Reardon), L.B. (Hulme). (Winner trained by Dodd.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. Antipater, 11 to 4 BELL TOLL, 9 to 2 The Bore, 10 to 1 each Square Dance and L.B., 100 to 6 any other.
Won by a neck; ten lengths.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Sir Samuel Hordern, part owner of Artilleryman, the winner of the Melbourne Cup, signalised the victory by presenting £500 to hospitals.

Mr. Cecil A. Cochrane, hon. treasurer of the University of Durham College of Medicine, has purchased the College athletic ground, and presented it for the use of the students.

Owing to a technical error the Hopeful Hurdle Race at Plumpton has been withdrawn, and a new race, with revised conditions (to close on Tuesday next at 12 noon), has been substituted.

It is now stated that the agreement between Rhodes, the Yorkshire cricketer, and the Haslingden Club has been cancelled. The first report was that Rhodes had undertaken to play with the Lancashire club for three years.

The profit on the V.R.C. Spring Meeting was well over the previous record—£25,356, in 1888. The stakes on that occasion amounted to £17,374, while at the latest meeting they were £33,234. Australian racing is evidently booming.

Sir George Noble, who has entered both Clarion and Bruff Bridge for the Lincolnshire Handicap, will be on the high seas bound for South America when the weights are published, and in a letter to the Press points out that the decision as to which (if either) runs will rest with his trainer.

A subscription list has been opened by Mr. Joseph Davis, of the Hurst Park Club, for the widow and child of the steeplechase jockey, Frank Cullen, who was killed whilst riding at Hurst Park Meeting on Friday week. The list is headed by Mr. J. P. Whelan, the owner of the horse Cullen was riding when the fatal accident occurred, with a contribution of £500.

After the race for the Montem Four-Year-Old Hurdle at Windsor on Saturday, Wilkins, the rider of Hanway, lodged an objection to the winner, Chin Chin, on the grounds of boring and that the rider of Chin Chin struck Hanway over the head with his whip. The Stewards overruled the objection, ordered the deposit to be forfeited, and fined Wilkins £5 for lodging the objection.

Of late rumour has been antagonistic to Poethlyn for the Grand National and in the result as much as 4 to 1 was laid against him in London to a fair sum last week. His stable companion, Lutteur III., who won the race as a five-year-old, in 1909, and is now sixteen years of age, has been supported to win it again next March at the rate of 25 to 1. Hitherto no horse of over thirteen years has succeeded in securing the big Aintree Steeplechase, the oldest horse to score having been Why Not, who won at that age in 1894.

TRAINING INTELLIGENCE.

THE CURRAGH, SATURDAY.

A fine morning.

ANTHONY'S Troytown came three miles; his half-sister joined in for the last mile; MacRoberts, Brookhill, Siller, Tullygorey, and the two-year-olds cantered. Col. MacCABE'S Grave Glass and Daylight Saver went six furlongs; Rockbellew and the two-year-olds had healthy exercise. MORGAN'S Clonree, L'Africain, and Empire Maker were sent a mile and a half; Charles the Fifth and the two-year-olds had healthy exercise. DOYLE'S Athlone, Ambitieux, and the two-year-olds had healthy exercise. Mr. BRABAZON'S Johnny F., The Boy, Port Elizabeth, Serge Nut, and Mr. Georgie had healthy exercise.

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BILLIARDS.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

J. G. SYMES v. R. H. NEW.

The second round heat between J. Graham Symes and R. H. New ended at Orme's Rooms, Soho square, London, on Saturday in an easy win for Symes. In the afternoon Symes averaged 17 per innings, making breaks of 57, 75, 61, 57, and 76. Interval scores—Symes (in play), 1,334; New, 636. At night Symes made breaks of 61, 71, 72, 67, and 51, and averaged 12. New showed better form in breaks of 56, 42, and 40. Final scores:—

J. G. Symes 2,000
R. H. New 1,071

SMITH v. FALKINER.

In this match of 16,000 up at Leicester square, London, Smith, after having been in front throughout the fortnight, won decisively on Saturday night. He played very fine billiards through both sessions on Saturday, making breaks of 110, 131, 146, 109, 196, and 155 (unfinished), while Falkiner's highest runs were 195, 202, and 125. Final scores:—

Smith 16,000
Falkiner 13,964

INMAN v. NEWMAN.

At Burroughes' Hall, London, on Saturday, Newman, in receipt of 1,500 start, beat Inman in his heat in the Victory Tournament. After starting disastrously, Inman made up a lot of ground during the second week, but could not get on terms. Both players were in good form during the concluding stages. Inman's best breaks were 328 (from 170, unfinished), 194, 162, 226, and 75, while Newman had runs of 106, 204, 215, 90, 225, and 209 (unfinished). Final scores:—

Newman (rec. 1,500) 16,000
Inman 15,420

STEVENSON v. AIKEN.

In order to ensure a finish to this match at Manchester, in which Stevenson conceded 1,000 in 16,000, each player was credited with a session's points before play commenced on Saturday. Stevenson was in great form, and, scoring 999 points in two hours, he won easily at night. Aiken was not idle, and gave frequent flashes of brilliance. At the afternoon session Stevenson had breaks of 67, 125, 71, 168, and 80 (unfinished), against Aiken's 69, 199, and 84. Interval—Stevenson, 15,001; Aiken, 14,687. At night the chief breaks were—Stevenson, 102 (full), 224, 58, 151, 66, 118, and 237 (unfinished); Aiken, 146, 70. Result:—

Stevenson 16,000
Aiken 10,175

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

DERBY, SUNDAY NIGHT.

There is material in the January Derby programme for a couple of afternoons' bright sport, and, if the weather lends its aid, there is no reason why the fixture should not prove very successful, but there is nothing of real importance on either day. My selections for the opening day are:—Matlock Steeplechase—**Ophion** (in the absence of **George B.**). Four-Year-Old Hurdle—**Jack Sheppard**; if absent, **All Feathers**. Derby Handicap—**Indian Feast** or **Lady Llama**. Etwall Hurdle—**Royal Diamond**. Burton Steeplechase — **Llangollen**. Novices' Steeplechase—**Moorfield**.

DERBY MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME.

1.15—MATLOCK 'CHASE, £200. 2 m. Age st. lb.
GEORGE B. (Mr. W. Lea) ...... J. Lea a 13 0
WARBINE (Mr. Chamberlain) .... Owner a 11 5
OPHION (Mr. T. Lovett) ...... Goswell a 11 0
TWEEDLEDUM (Lady Queensbery) .... Sievier a 10 13
MARNIX (Capt. W. Rawle) ...... Newey a 10 13
RED FLAME (Capt. Fuller) .... Private a 10 12
EAGER PRINCE (Mr. W. Wallis) Private 6 10 8
PRICKLY (Mr. H. Brown) .... H. Brown a 10 8
HANNAH MEEK (Mr. J. Spurrier) Owner a 10 8
SWORD DANCE (Mr. McAlpine) Hyams 6 10 7
WAD (Mr. R. Colling) .... Colling a 10 6
RESCABY (Mr. D. Ward) ...... Private a 10 4
MURRAY'S (Miss G. Tredwell) R. Roberts 6 10 1

1.45—FOUR-YEAR-OLD HURDLE, £250. st. lb.
CHARIOTEER (Major Power) .... Private 11 8
BEDABBLE (Mr. E. Harris) .... Private 11 1
FRENZY (Mr. J. Hindell) .... Private 11 1
WYNSFORD (Mr. J. Dennis) .... C. Young 11 1
BANDYCOOT (Mr. E. De Mestre) De Mestre 11 1
DOROTHY DEAR (Mr. J. Tomlinson) .... Private 11 1
JACK SHEPPARD (Mr. T. Edge) .... Poole 10 12
YOUNG LOVER (Mr. T Greenwood) Schofield 10 12
TISH (Mr. Chetwynd) .... Gilbert 10 8
ALL FEATHERS (Mr. Knowles) .. Chadwick 10 8

2.15—DERBY HURDLE, £200. 2 m. Age st. lb.
DENIZULU (Mr. W. Wyllie) ...... Burns a 12 10
HOLLINS LANE (Capt. H. Denison) .... H. Brown a 12 3
LADY ALICIA (Mr. M. Bode) .... Randell 5 12 0
KAFFIR KING (Mr. C. Berzac) Roberts 6 11 2
THISTLEBIRD (Mr. T. Butler) .. Walsh 6 11 7
TOM FOOL (Mr. H. Brown) .. H. Brown 6 11 4
INDIAN FEAST (Mr. W. Wren) .. Payne a 11 2
NUIT BLANCE (Mr. T. Kelly) ...... Lund 5 11 0
BUZZ OFF (Mr. J. McLean) .. McGuigan 5 11 0
MAGNOLIA (Mr. B. Gates) A. Nightingall 4 10 4
ST. CYRUS (Mr. W. Philip) ...... Newey 6 10 3
MENDELA (Mr. A. Long) .... Dodd 4 10 1
LADY LLAMA (Mr. T. Galletly) .... Pope 4 10 0
WISTOW (Mrs. W. Capell) ...... Capell a 10 0

2.45—ETWALL 4-Y.O. HURDLE, £100. 2 m. st. lb.
INTERROGATION (Mr. P. Ellison) Fitton 11 3
DECIMAL (Mr. W. Christie) ...... T. Leader 10 12
MY BOMBARDIER (Mrs. E. Tabor) .... Woodland 10 12
DARK MAGIC (Mr. C. Berzac) .. B. Roberts 10 5
BRIGHT SHOT (Mr. W. Black) .. Casebourne 10 5
DOCTORS COMMON (Mr. H. Brown) Brown 10 5
PAMPEAN (Mr. T. Butler) .... Walsh 10 5
WOOD ANT (Mr. M. Cummins) ...... Newey 10 5
ROYAL DIAMOND (Mr. W. Dixon) Lines 10 5
BURLY (Mr. A. Douglas-Pennant) .... Private 10 5
SANDY McNAB (Mr. M. Farrington) .... Private 10 5
THYMBA (Mr. H. Glover) .... H. Hunt 10 5
ARDAVON (Capt. C. Hanbury) .... Whitaker 10 5
DAYBREAK (Mr. C. Hatry) .... Woodland 10 5
VESINGTON CHIEF (Mr. W. Higgs) .... De Mestre 10 5
CLARIDA (Mrs. H. Hollins) ...... Private 10 5
IRISH LAKE (Col. C. Hopkins) .... Colling 10 5
REVOLUTION (Sir R. Jardine) .... Private 10 5
ALL FEATHERS (Mr. A. Knowles) .... Chadwick 10 5
GOLDEN CHESTNUT (Mr. A. Long) .. Dodd 10 5
HANWAY (Mrs. C. de Mestre) .... De Mestre 10 5
NORAH ELSIE (Mr. T. Oakshott) .... Private 10 5
JUNE ROSE (Lord Rosebery) .... F. Hartigan 10 5
BROWN QUEEN (Mr. E. Treacy) .... Private 10 5

3.15—BURTON 'CHASE, £150. 3 m. Age st. lb.
TOP HOLE (Mr. F. Parnell) W. Payne a 12 8
COPPER HILL (Mrs. H. Hollins) Payne a 12 5
LLANGOLLEN (Mr. H. Brown) H. Brown a 12 1
ALLY SLOPER (Lady Nelson) Hastings a 11 13
NEUROTIC (Mr. P. Wigram) .... Poole a 11 13
FARGUE (Mr. G. Sanday) ...... Sanday a 11 11
ARBOR (Capt. G. Morgan) .... Whitaker a 11 6
EARNEST (Col. G. Paynter) ...... Lyall a 11 4
FLEETING PEACE (Mr. R. Gates) .... A. Nightingall a 11 3
TARA (Mr. C. Odlam) .... Private a 11 2
PRINCE CLIFTON (Mr. H. Chappell) .... Dodd a 10 12
GLEN ROYAL II. (Mr. C. Kenyon) Dodd a 10 12
SUNNYCROFT (Mr. J. Bogue) .... Drury a 10 10
FRANK ASH (Mr. Pelham-Clinton) .... Woodland a 10 10
A.J. (Mr. R. Colling) .... Colling a 10 3
NADINE (Mr. J. Harvie) .... Poole 6 10 0

3.45—NOVICES' 'CHASE, £100. 2 m. Age st. lb.
HAIRPIN II. (Mr. G. Sanday) .... Sanday 6 13 0
EXPEDITIOUS (Lady Wilton) T. Leader a 13 0
MONSYL (Mr. W. Dixon) .... Lines a 12 10
MOORFIELD (Mr. W. Atkinson) Adams a 12 0
SERBAN (Mr. H. Brown) .... H. Brown 6 12 0
CHUBB (Mr. C. Hill) .... C. Hill 5 11 9
STALBRIDGE (Mr. H. Adamthwaite) .... Private 6 11 7
INGATESTONE (Mr. J. Hull) T. Leader 6 11 7
ARTISTRY (Mr. W. Lea) .... J. Lea 6 11 7
PRETTY FACE (Mr. A. McAlpine) Hyams a 11 7
CASTLEWRIXON LAD (Col. G. Paynter) .... Lyall a 11 7
VICTOR HAIG (Mr. E. Platt) W. Payne a 11 7
GIMCRACK IV. (Lord Wavertree) Private a 11 7
PODARGES (Mr. J. Shepherd) .... Private a 11 7
HANNAH MEEK (Mr. J. Spurrier) .... Spurrier a 11 7
BELSTEAD (Mr. E. Quilter) .... Whitaker a 11 7
GRACEDIEU (Mr. E. Collington) Private 5 11 5
TULLY (Mr. M. Farrington) ...... Private 5 11 5
AVON TYRRELL (Capt. A. FitzGerald) .... Private 5 11 5
RIVERSTON (Mr. A. Walker) F. Hartigan 5 11 5
MELANGE (Mr. W. Watson) ...... Private 5 11 5
GREAT CRIME (Mr. W. Philip) .... Newey 5 11 5
GRACIOUS GIFT (Lord Porchester) .... Whitaker 5 11 5
RATHKEALE II. (Mr. S. Spencer) Spencer 5 11 5

ARRIVALS.—Mutton Cutlets, Young Lover, Norah Elsie, Decimal, Rescaby, Bedabble, Castlewrixon Lad, Chubb, Artistry, Moorfield, Earnest, Wynsford, Lady Alicia, Macduff, Jack Sheppard, Burneston, Thermogene, Ben Booch, Buzz Off, My Bombardier, Frank Ash, Nuit Blanche, Frenzy, Lady Llama.

RACING FIXTURES FOR THIS WEEK.

ENGLAND.

To-day and To-morrow—Derby.
Wednesday—Plumpton.
Thursday—Sandown Park.
Friday and Saturday—Kempton Park.

HUNTING.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION

Date—Jany.	Meet.	Hour.
Wed. 28	10-Mile Bush	1.30
Sat. 31	Donaghmore Cross-roads	1.30
THE KILDARE		
Tues. 27	Allen	11.0
Thurs. 29	Colbinstown Station	10.30
Sat. 31	Sallins	11.0
THE MEATH.		
Mon. 26	Bective	11.0
Tues. 27	Rahinston	11.30
Thurs. 29	Kilberry	11.30
Fri. 30	Priestown	11.30

THE WARD UNION STAGHOUNDS.

Another heavy downpour rendered the country very wet on Saturday, when the meet was at Priestown cross-roads. Owing to the superabundance of water it was only natural to expect that scent would be weak, and so it proved. Mr. Malcomson's land at Loughlinstown was the place selected for the starting point, and the marshy bottoms known as the Lough of Ballyhack was completely under water, but though hounds followed the line straight through the middle of it a short detour around it on the part of the followers allowed the latter to meet the pack on the opposite side. The stag had crossed his line over and over again, but patience and time combined got hounds on the more direct track, and they hunted nicely but slowly through Peacockstown to Mr. Kennedy's house, where they wheeled very sharp to the left, and went across the Paddocks and Glascairn Stud Farm to Tankardstown. After a short check they hunted slowly over some plough, where scent was almost a negligible quantity, but getting on to the grass lands again went better on by Raystown and Mouldren Bridge into the parochial farm. Then down by the river to Jamestown, where they came up on the stag under a bridge, and after a short scurry around Pigeon House and The Commons compelled him to surrender in Mr. Patrick Toole's yard at Ratoath.

BOXING.

THE WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

ANOTHER HUGE OFFER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, SUNDAY.

The sporting newspaper *Auto* states that Mr. W. Fox, President of the Fox Film Corporation, New York, has telegraphed to M. Descamps, Carpentier's manager, alternative offers for the match with Dempsey in the United States on July 4. In one he offered the French champion 250,000 dollars (gold), win, lose, or draw, with 35 per cent. of the net profits to the winner, 15 per cent. to the loser, and 50 per cent. to Red Cross Societies. As a counter offer, Mr. Fox proposed a purse of 515,000 dollars, with 75 per cent. for the winner, and 25 per cent. for the loser. The net profit will be distributed as follows:—35 per cent. for the winner, 15 per cent. for the loser, and the remaining 50 per cent. for Red Cross Societies.

BILLY WELLS DEFEATS PAUL BUISSON.

At the Ring, London, on Saturday night Bermondsey Billy Wells and Paul Buisson met in a twenty rounds' bout at 10st. 7lb. A good contest was expected, and for two rounds both men fought at top speed, Wells being sent to the boards on one occasion. In the third round, the Frenchman was, for the second time, cautioned by the referee for holding, whereupon he refused to continue, and the match was consequently awarded to Wells.

WALTER ROSSI BEATS BILL BENYON.

At Port Talbot on Saturday night Walter Rossi, the sturdy little Welsh boxer, defeated Bill Benyon, the ex-bantam-weight champion of Great Britain, on points after a determined and interesting contest over twenty rounds.

Reuter's Correspondent understands that the Soviet Government has approached the British Government regarding the enforced suspension of negotiations owing to M. Litvinoff's difficulty in finding accommodation. M. Litvinoff has recommended his Government to release the British wounded, but it is not yet known whether it will be done. In the meantime, no solution of the hotel difficulty has yet been reached.

GOLF.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY AT MILDENHALL.

In the first of the University Club fixtures of the term Cambridge University opposed the Royal Worlington and Newmarket Club in a return match at Mildenhall on Saturday. The meeting provided some good golf, and in a close finish the Light Blues won by one match. The Singles in the morning were divided into six matches each, and in the afternoon Cambridge won three and divided one of the Foursomes, so that on the day's play they won by nine matches to eight. Cambridge had nine of the same players who defeated the home club two months ago, while the Mildenhall team was, with the exception of two players, the same as in the previous match. On the last occasion, however, the University team won by 12 to 6. Generally, the golf was good, and the Cambridge side's failures were due in a large measure to their putting. The kern wind made the greens very fast, and putting was a difficult matter.

The home team was led by Mr. J. H. S. Cannon, who was opposed to the Cambridge captain, Mr. C. P. Johnstone (Pembroke) in the Singles. These players figured at the head of the teams on the last meeting of the clubs, and it was on that occasion that Mr. Cannon won, and at the same time created a record for his course. Mr. Cannon, however, did not play at all well against Mr. Johnstone in his match on Saturday. His play from the tee was very erratic, and, although the University player was not putting at all well, he defeated Mr. Cannon on the last green. This was a very creditable performance, for the home player has a handicap of plus 4 and the advantage of local knowledge. Captain Mirrlees defeated the Cambridge second string, Mr. G. N. P. Humphries (Trinity Hall), on the last green; and, with the exception of the game between Mr. L. Lane and Mr. J. Tennant (Trinity), most of the matches had close finishes. Mr. Lane, however, was four holes up at the turn, and the Cambridge player never afterwards had a chance of the match, which finished on the thirteenth green. Mr. C. P. Johnstone and Mr. G. N. P. Humphries did very well to defeat Mr. Cannon and Captain Mirrlees in the top match in the Foursomes. The Cambridge captain putted very well in the afternoon, and altogether his golf was better than in the morning. The tail end of the team gave Cambridge their victory. They had two new representatives in Mr. Boyce and Mr. Brocklebank, and these players, partnered by Mr. Tennant and Mr. Riddell, both won their matches. Details:—

SINGLES.

Cambridge University.		Royal Worlington and Newmarket.	
C. P. Johnstone (Pembroke) (1 up)	1	J. H. S. Cannon	0
G. N. P. Humphries (Trinity Hall)	0	Capt. Mirrlees (2 holes)	1
W. L. Hope (Caius) (5 and 4)	1	W. R. Thomas	0
J. Walker (King's) ..	0	N. Cannon (3 and 2)	1
A. R. Lister (Trinity Hall)	0	S. W. Cole (2 up) ..	1
H. W. C. Craigmile (King's) (2 up) ...	1	H. Lake	0
L. H. Walls (King's) (5 and 3)	1	H. Underdown	0
T. S. Morris (Trinity) (3 and 1)	1	Col. A. W. Tate	0
J. Tennant (Trinity) .	0	L. Lane (7 and 5) ..	1
J. Boyce (Pembroke) T. A. L. Brocklebank (Trinity) (4 and 2)	0 / 1	Dr. W. Bennett (4 and 3) .... / J. H. Burrell	1 / 0
D. A. Riddell (St. John's)	0	F. H. Ireland (5 and 3)	1
Total	6	Total	6

FOURSOMES.

Johnstone and Humphries (2 and 1) ..	1	T. Cannon and Capt. Mirrlees	0
Hope and Walker ..	0	Lake and N. Cannon (5 and 4)	1
Lister and Craigmile.	0	Cole and Thomas (1 up)	1
Walls and Morris	0	Underdown and Tate	0
Tennant and Boyce (5 and 1)	1	Lane and Bennett ..	0
Brocklebank and Riddell (4 and 3).	1	Burrell and Ireland ..	0
Total	3	Total	2

Aggregate:—Cambridge University, 9 matches; Royal Worlington and Newmarket, 8 matches.

AMERICA AS A GOLFING POWER.

A CONTRAST BY WILLIE PARK

(EX-OPEN CHAMPION).

One of the soundest and shrewdest judges of all that pertains to the game, and the most experienced architect of golf links, Willie Park, who won the Open Championship in 1887 and 1889, and contested the memorable match with Harry Vardon over North Berwick and Ganton in 1898, gives a highly interesting survey in the current issue of the *Golf Monthly* of the present position of the game in the United States and Canada. His opinions are valuable, because, from actual knowledge, he is able to contrast America a golfing power with the conditions when America was in its golfing infancy.

"America is full of money," he says. "One would almost think all the money of the world was there, so readily do the people spend it; but America—and by America I mean Canada, as well as the United States—has no room for the 'dud' in golf, be the 'dud' an amateur, a professional, a green architect or a golf trader. American golfers are prepared to spend very large sums—I should say enormous sums in contrast to what is spent in this country—on their links; but they are not going to spend it uselessly. They must have value. America has learnt what golf is, and it wants the best. It is prepared to pay for the very best; and the man who goes from this country—be he player, links architect, or trader in golf balls or golf clubs—must 'be the goods.'

"The tour from which I have just returned for a brief rest has been the longest in time, and the most extensive in travel, and the most varied in experience, I have ever undertaken. During it I was very much impressed by the immense development of golf in both the U.S.A. and Canada in the interval of 25 years since my last visit. In 1896 golf in the States was confined to a few places.

"A great part of my work," continues Park, "concerned the reconstruction of links which had been ruined by bad designing. There are now a number of very excellent links in America, and several of these links, notably the National Links on Long Island, have holes which are modelled on the best examples of holes to be found in England and Scotland."

THE PROFESSIONALS' PROSPECT.

Writing on the professionals' prospect, Park says: "Before the war a fair number of young Scottish amateurs embraced professionalism in the States, and a number of professionals from Scotland, and a few from England also, crossed. Some of them have done very well; others not so well; and I advise any young player who intends going to the States as a professional to secure an appointment as an assistant beforehand. The conditions of living and the ways of golfers over there are somewhat different to what they are here; and it would be better for a young man to get actual experience in the States before accepting a position as professional to the club. The American clubs have a system of changing their professional, sometimes every year. Their idea is to get a good man, and when they think he has taught them everything he knows, they change over to another man to get his ideas. There is a special class of professional in America, just the same as we have Vardon, Taylor, Braid, Herd, Duncan, and other prosperous professionals on this side; but on the average—that is, the great army of professionals behind the special class—the American professional has a bigger margin of money to himself than the British professional. An average man will get a salary of $100 a month, and on the top of this he has a large revenue from teaching fees—a very big source of revenue—and his fees playing with members and, of course, his shop sales."

THE GREAT CANADIAN COURSE.

"One of the biggest and finest links I have had to deal with," says Park, "is the Mount Bruno, near Montreal. On the low-lying ground for hundreds of miles around the soil is heavy clay, but some years ago Mr. E. L. Pease, of Montreal observed half-way up the mountain a shelf, or plateau, of about 400 acres, where the soil was quite different. I inspected the shelf, and found that it was light, sandy soil, very much like what we have on our best links in the Old Country. An 18 holes course is now almost completed, and up to the present they have spent $160,000 on construction. In order to prevent the frost stopping the water supply in the winter time, 4-inch pipes have been laid 5½ feet deep, and the water is brought from the lakes 1½ miles off. The clubhouse will contain 50 bedrooms, and the place will be fully used in the winter. For the winter sports they will have a long run for toboggans and facilities for the other outdoor winter attractions which the Canadians go in for in their long, dry winter."

THE PROSPECTS.

"There is an immense future for golf in both the States and Canada. Great though the development of the game in the last quarter of a century, it is only in its infancy. In New York there is a public course, which is more crowded than the Braid Hills, Edinburgh, and in Chicago they have several public links. There are thousands of men in America waiting to start golf, not on the waiting list of clubs, but waiting for new links to be constructed, so that they can get some place to play. All the clubs are full, and anyone putting down his name to-day would not get in for years. So golf links must be found, and the prospect is that, for a long time ahead, there will be pioneers searching for suitable land whereon to provide the facilities for the game to the American beginners, who are just waiting the chance to take it up."

THE AMATEUR STATUS.

Park is of opinion that the amateur status in America is a little stricter than it is here. "For instance," he says, "a man who undertakes the designing of golf links for a fee is a professional. Walter Travis is a professional, according to the laws of the United States. In England an amateur may design links for fees, but immediately he does so in the United States he becomes a professional, no matter how distinguished he is; and I have heard it remarked upon over there that we have many amateurs in this country who make money out of the game in links construction who, in the States, would be professionalised. Whether the Royal and Ancient recognise the professional decisions of the United States Golf Association is a point worthy of consideration."

KINGSTOWN.—Men's Foursomes Sweepstake.—P. Gillespie (6) and T. H. McComas (9) all square.

MALAHIDE (Ladies).—Prize presented by Messrs. Elvery (1919) postponed.—Thursday, 29th January, 18 holes, bogey.

BRAY.—Ladies' monthly medal will be played for on Thursday. The annual general meeting will be held immediately afterwards, for ladies. Saturday, 31st January—Gentlemen's monthly medal, bogey.

CRICKET.

THE AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES XI. v. QUEENSLAND.

(FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, JANUARY 14.

In the match against Queensland the Australian Imperial Forces Cricket Team scored 215 in the first innings. Queensland had made 86 runs for the loss of three wickets when stumps were drawn.

LEINSTER CRICKET UNION.

The annual general meeting will be held to-night in the Central Hotel, Dublin, at 7.30.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

SYDNEY, SATURDAY.

Play was continued to-day in the gentlemen's singles and doubles in the Australian Lawn Tennis Championships. In the Doubles Mr. Anderson and Major Lowe defeated Mr. Jordan and Mr. O'Ryan. Captain O'Hara Wood and Mr. Thomas defeated Messrs. Todd and Todd. Mr. Norman Brookes and Mr. Patterson retired. In the singles Lieut.-Colonel Kingscote defeated Mr. North, Mr. Anderson defeated Mr. Kalmanger, and Captain Beamish defeated Mr. Peach. Mr. Patterson retired.

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HOCKEY.

SENIOR INTER-PROVINCIAL MATCH.

LEINSTER (4) v. ULSTER (1).

The resumption of the inter-provincial games, after a lapse of six years, at Belfast on Saturday was, unfortunately, spoiled by the weather. The recent rains left the North of Ireland C.C. ground at Ormeau in a soft condition, and part of the playing pitch was under water. A fairly large crowd lined the ground, and much excitement prevailed, especially in the second half, when Ulster were having much the better of the game. Except for a bitterly cold wind that blew across the ground, the afternoon was bright and fine when the teams lined out as follow, both sides playing as selected:—

Ulster.—Goal, R. Hayes (Banbridge); backs, F. M'Knight (Banbridge), F. Rice (Lisnagarvey); half-backs, A. Harvey (Banbridge), A. Cull (Banbridge), W. W. Rentoul (Queen's); forwards, N. Coburn (Banbridge), J. Coburn (Banbridge), H. Curry (Antrim), J. C. Carson (Queen's), G. Storey (Queens).

Leinster.—Goal, E. M. Dillon (Three Rock Rovers); backs, G. C. Pilkington (Three Rock Rovers), A. E. Phillips (Dublin University); half-backs, R. E. Murphy (Dublin University), Col. Hill (Three Rock Rovers), D. Rowlands (Monkstown) (capt.); forwards, C. O'Reilly (Three Rock Rovers), T. Parslow (Royal Hibernians), H. Kirkwood (Royal Hibernians), M. H. Cork (Royal Hibernians), R. W. Carter (Royal Hibernians).

Umpires—Messrs. W. H. Tuke (Ulster) and W. F. M'Donnell (Leinster).

Leinster got away on the right from the opening bully, but Cull relieved, and Coburn took play to the Leinster 25, where Rowlands put Kirkwood in possession, and he let Parslow through to elude Rice and pass out to O'Reilly, who beat Hayes with a fast cross drive. Then Kirkwood left Parslow in possession, and beating Cull, Rentoul, and Rice, in turn, he wound up a grand run from beyond half-way by beating Hayes with a lovely shot. A couple of bursts away by the Ulster forwards came to naught. The Leinster forwards combined well on the right, and O'Reilly tested Hayes with a fast shot, which he stopped, but the ball coming to Cork the latter added a third goal with a shot which was unsaveable. Ulster did better for a time, but their forwards lacked combination, and Murphy conceded a corner to save, which O'Reilly rushed away. Kirkwood got down, and transferred to Parslow, whose shot was splendidly saved by Hayes. Ulster came away again, but N. Coburn's shot went wide. Neat combined work by Cork, Kirkwood, and Parslow ended in the latter sending in a great shot, which Hayes saved in fine style at the expense of a corner, off which Cork scored with a fine drive. Ulster played up strongly after this, and Phillips was conspicuous in defence. Leinster kept the Ulster defence busy, but it held out till the interval. Half-time score:—

Leinster 4
Ulster 0

The play of the first half had left the ground in a wretched condition, but the Ulster forwards had the better end to play into on resuming, and soon Dillon had to save from Carson. O'Reilly tried to break through on a few occasions, but was whistled up. The Ulster forwards were doing well in midfield, but were weak in the circle. A shot from Carson was well cleared by Dillon, and Hayes at the other end saved a hot shot from Parslow. Harvey then sent his forwards away, and J. Coburn got in a great shot, well out of Dillon's reach. The Ulster side played up strongly, and Pilkington and Phillips did fine work in defence. Carter ultimately relieved the pressure, and Cork was whistled up as he was about to shoot. The play became rather poor, but dashing tactics of the Ulster forwards told. J. Coburn got in and had a shot, but Dillon effected a fine clearance by kicking. M'Knight in lifting the ball in the air got a nasty knock, but resumed. Capital work by Parslow ended in Hayes bringing off a great save, and Carter passed the ball across the circle, but it was missed by the line. Result:—

Leinster 4
Ulster 1

NOTES ON THE GAME.

Leinster held a big advantage forward, and as long as the ground remained anyway like true they displayed much cleverness, whilst their finishing was sound. The Ulster attack was too individual to be successful against a sound defence, and their shooting was haphazard at times. It was only in the respective forward lines that the difference appeared. The defences, as one would imagine in the circumstances, had much the best of the play all through, and a good deal of cleverness was shown on both sides, with Leinster the smarter. For Ulster, Hayes in goal displayed some of his old time form, but got no chance with the shots registered against him. M'Knight was the safer back, Rice being outplayed most of the time. Rentoul, after a weak start, was the best of the middle line, and showed marked ability, while Cull and Harvey were above the average. Individually the forwards were fair, N. Coburn and Storey doing well on their respective wings, but their centring was not good. The insides spoiled their play by lack of combination. For Leinster, Dillon was in his usual good form, and although not severely tested gave a good display. Phillips at full was excellent, and was the outstanding payer on the field. Pilkington has been seen to greater advantage. In the half-back line, Rowlands exhibited his skilfulness, and was easily the best half on the ground. Murphy gave a good all-round display, but Hill played much below his best form. Of a splendid forward line Parslow was the pick, with O'Reilly most prominent of the others.

ULSTER v. MUNSTER.

At the conclusion of the Ulster v. Leinster match on Saturday the Ulster Selecting Five chose the following to meet Munster in Dublin on Friday next:—

Hayes (Banbridge); M'Knight (Banbridge), Harding (Queen's); Harvey (Banbridge), Cull (Banbridge), W. Rentoul (Queen's); Brown (Queen's), J. Coburn (Banbridge), Carson (Queen's), B. Alexander (North Down), Storey (Queen's).

ULSTER v. CONNAUGHT.

The following Ulster team was selected on Saturday to play Connaught in Dublin on Saturday next:—

Farrell (Banbridge); Anderson (North Down), Rice (Lisnagarvey); Walker (Cliftonville), Malcomson (Queen's), Browne (Lisnagarvey); N. Coburn (Banbridge), M'Gregor (Lisnagarvey), Curry (Antrim), A. Rentoul (Queen's), M'Keown (Banbridge).

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

SENIOR INTER-PROVINCIAL.—Leinster 4, Ulster 1.

IRISH JUNIOR CUP (RE-PLAY).—Clontarf 1st 1, Royal Hibernians 2nd 0.

MIDDLE LEAGUE "A."—Monkstown 2nd 2, Railway Union 2nd 2; Clontarf 1st 1, Royal Hibernians 2nd 0; Avoca School 3, Naas 2nd 1.

MIDDLE LEAGUE "B."—Monkstown 3rd 4, Y.M.C.A. 2; Dublin Univ. 3rd 2, Coll. of Science 0.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.—Monkstown 3rd A 7, Dublin University 3rd A 1; Zion 2, Clontarf 3rd A 0; Kingstown Grammar School 5, College of Science 2nd 1; Royal Hibernians 3rd 2, National Bank 2.

LEINSTER LADIES' MIDDLE LEAGUE.—Triginta 4, University 0.

MONKSTOWN LADIES' H.C.—All members are requested to attend practice at Park avenue to-day at 3.30.

Our portrait is of Mrs. W. MADDOCKS, of 24 Hardy street, off St. James street, Liverpool, who writes:—

"Kindly allow me to tell you of the good Clarke's Blood Mixture has done me. I had very bad **ulcerated leg and foot**; for two years I attended the hospital and **was operated on six times**, but nothing did me any good, so I began to think I should never get better again. Then I thought I would try Clarke's Blood Mixture. **The first bottle made a change in me.** I have now had eight bottles, and am pleased to say my leg and foot are quite **well again**. You may use this letter as you like, and I shall always be pleased to recommend it to anyone."

In a further letter recently received Mrs. Maddocks writes—"I am pleased to say I am keeping quite well, without any return of my old complaint."

Clarke's Blood Mixture, by reason of its remarkable blood purifying properties, can be relied upon to give quick relief and lasting benefit in all cases of Eczema, Ulcers, Bad Legs, Abscesses, Boils, Pimples and Eruptions, Piles, Glandular Swellings, Rheumatism, etc. Pleasant to take, and free from anything injurious. See that you get

Clarke's Blood Mixture

"EVERYBODY'S BLOOD PURIFIER."

Of all Chemists and Stores, 2/9 per Bottle. (15)

Did you "NUGGET" your boots this morning?

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

DONORE HARRIERS.

The four mile (Inman Cup) handicap was run off on Saturday last over the club course at Crumlin. The weather was wretched, a strong cold wind blowing across the course, while many of the fields were under water. A "field" of twenty faced the starter, and J. Duffy, off 3 min. 30 secs., won rather easily, with T. Millington (2 mins. 15 secs.) 2nd, and J. J. Cronin (1 min. 15 secs.) 3rd. Details:—1, J. Duffy (3 min. 30 secs.); 2, T. Millington (2 min. 15 secs.); 3, J. J. Cronin (1 min. 15 secs.); 4, R. Pearson (45 secs.); 5, W. Cooke (45 secs.); 6, D. Murphy (2 min.); 7, H. B. Gunn (1 min. 15 secs.); 8, P. Byrne (15 secs.); 9, Delahunt (3 min. 15 secs.). Training run, Tuesday night, at 7.30, C.Y.M. ground.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY HARRIERS.—Paper-chase from Rathfarnham (Yellow House) to-day. Members should catch the 2.15 p.m. tram at Front Gate, T.C.D.

A copy of this Pro...
The special permission of the Committee of the ...
The Subscription Lists Open To-day (MONDAY), the ...

TEXTILE C...
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Authorised Share C...
Divided into 1,000,000 10/...
600,000 10/...
800,000 Deferred Share...

200,000 Deferred Shares to be allotted at the issue price ...
Payable as to the Ordinary Shares:—2/- per Share on A... Share on 20th day of March, 1920; and the balance of ...
Applicants for both classes of Shares have the right to ... Application...

The Ordinary Shares carry the right to a fixed Pre... entitled to a dividend at the rate of 2/- per Share. ... between the Ordinary Shares and the Deferred Shares ... pany will be applied, first, in repayment to the Ordina... and the balance, as to 25 per cent. to the Ordinary Sha...

BERTRAM JAMES REDMAN, 20 Wigmor...
RICHARD COBDEN THYNE, 18 St. Swithin's lane, ... Limited
REGINALD ARTHU...

LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BAN...
THE BANK OF LIVERPOOL and MARTINS Limited...

PETER T...
TURQUAND YOUNGS...
J. A. HESELTON, SO...
TRITTON, LABO...
GEOFFRE...

The Corporation has been formed for the purp... Memorandum of Association which are, inter alia, to fo... for the transaction of Merchant Banking business in a... in the Textile and Allied Trades; to conduct and to fi... and, for these and other similar objects to establish a... and agencies throughout the world.

The Directors have well established connections in... of Lancashire and the West Riding of Yorkshire an... the Corporation will obtain profitable business.

The Corporation has secured the services, as Ma... 2nd April, 1920, of Mr. Greeley H. Lougee, of Bradfo... 25 years financial experience of the Home and Export ...

The Corporation has acquired the whole of the ... Capital of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, whos... various commercial centres of Europe and in other of th... provide the required organisation for the immediate re... poration.

The Corporation, in its function of a Financial H... terested in other Textile businesses when suitable oppor... not be principals in actual trading. The Company ... Company, Limited, will retain its own valuable nam... Goodwill.

CHARLES SEMON AND COMPANY, L...
BRADFORD AND MANCHESTER...

AUTHORISED and ISSUED CAPITAL
Divided into 350,000 7½ per cent. Cumulative Preferen... and 250,000 Ordinary Shares of £1...

The business of Charles Semon and Co., Ltd., w... Mr. Charles Semon in the year 1857, since when ... successfully, and is to-day one of the largest merch... business; having a wide connection and representa... trading centres of the world, where a reputation ha... correctness of method and reliability in deliveries. ... has been incorporated to further develop and exten... business, and to take advantage of the increasing d... ducts in all the world's markets.

PREMISES. The warehouse and administrati... road, Bradford, was erected and adapted ... the pur... the business. The interior arrangements with th... machinery ensure efficient and economical working.

FINANCIAL POSITION. The following figure... financial statement of the Company as prepared ... Auditors of the Company, Messrs. J. A. HESELTON... FIELD, of Bradford, Chartered Accountants.

THE CAPITALISATION OF THE COMPANY is a...
Debts owing to the Company ...
Stock in Trade, taken at cost or under and below market prices ...
Freehold Building as ascertained by the valuation, dated 23rd May, 1919, of Messrs Edward Rushton Son and Kenyon, 13 Norfolk street, Manchester ...
Loose Plant, Fixtures, Fittings and Utensils, as ascertained by the valuation dated 23rd May, 1919, of Messrs Edward Rushton Son and Kenyon ...

Less Balance of Liabilities taken over ...
Issued Capital ...

The ANNUAL PROFITS during the period from 1st ... September, 1919, are itemised below; these resu... providing ample depreciation, but before chargi... Income Tax and interest on Loans, Bank Overdra... The accounts were made up to the half-year ... 1919, to agree the basis for the formation of th...

For the Year ending 31st December, 1910 ...
do. do. 1911 ...
do. do. 1912 ...
do. do. 1913 ...
For the fifteen months ending 31st March, 1915 ...
For the year ending 31st March, 1916 ...
do. do. 1917 ...
do. do. 1918 ...
do. do. 1919 ...

The profits for the six months ended 30th Septem... after making ample provision for Excess Profits ... ceeded the sum of £100,000, being at the annu...
"The decline in the profits for the year ended ... was due to the Government restriction of ...

In arriving at the above profits, no provision ... in respect of debts (principally in War Areas) not ... the Company has not taken over, and for which ... profits in the transactions leading up to these de... provision of £49,886 allowed for possible loss has b... With these exceptions all debts known or conside... have been written off or provided for.

The annual turnover is in excess of £2,... greater portion of, which is for Export, and the ... present exceed £1,400,000.

It will be seen that the present profits accruing ... Charles Semon and Company, Limited, are more th... quired to pay the 10% dividend upon this issue o... Corporation.

After the purchase of the Ordinary Share Ca... Company, Limited, there will be a balance of £... issue for further transactions and development, in... profit from 1st October, 1919, which is guaranteed ... six months ending 31st March, 1920.

TEXTILE...

To TEXTILE CORPORATION LIMITED.
Gentlemen,—Having paid to your Bankers th... per Share, payable on application for ...
the total issue price of ...
that number ... of Shares, and I hereby agree to ...
these numbers ...
the 23rd day of January, 1920, and the Memora... and the balance as provided by the said Prospe...
I hereby declare that this application is no... Amendment Act, 1916.
Note.—If application is not being made for ...

Please write distinctly
FULL NAME ...
USUAL SIGNATURE ...
ADDRESS ...
OCCUPATION ...

Applicants for both classes of Shares have ...
Applications for Deferred Shares alone w...
Applications on behalf of a firm must be ...
This form should be filled up and sent w... LIMITED, 21 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, and ... lard street, London, E.C.3, and branches. Cheque... An acknowledgment will be forwarded in d...

PROSPECTUS.

A copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The special permission of the Committee of the London Stock Exchange for dealing in the Shares offered herein, after allotment, is being applied for. The Subscription Lists Open To-day (MONDAY), the 26th day of January, 1920, and Close on or before FRIDAY, the 30th day of January, 1920.

TEXTILE CORPORATION LIMITED

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

Authorised Share Capital - - £1,100,000

Divided into 1,000,000 10% Ordinary Shares of £1 each, and 1,000,000 Deferred Shares of 2/- each.

ISSUE OF

600,000 10% Ordinary Shares of £1 each at par.

AND

800,000 Deferred Shares of 2/- each at a premium of 1/- per Share.

INCLUDING

100,000 Deferred Shares to be allotted at the issue price in Trust under a profit-sharing scheme for the benefit of the Employees of Charles Semon and Company, Limited.

Payable as to the Ordinary Shares:—2/- per Share on Application; 3/- per Share upon Allotment; 5/- per Share on 20th day of February, 1920; 5/- per Share on 20th day of March, 1920; and the balance of 5/- per Share on the 20th day of April, 1920. As to the Deferred Shares:—the full amount of 3/- per Share (including 1/- premium) on application.

Applicants for both classes of Shares have the right to an allotment in the proportion of one Deferred Share to each two Ordinary Shares. Applications for Deferred Shares alone will not be entertained.

The Ordinary Shares carry the right to a fixed Preferential Dividend of 10 per cent. per annum in any one year. The Deferred Shares are thereafter entitled to a dividend at the rate of 2/- per Share. It is provided that any further distribution by way of dividend shall be equally divided in amount between the Ordinary Shares and the Deferred Shares respectively for the time being issued. In the event of winding up, the surplus assets of the Company will be applied, first, in repayment to the Ordinary Shareholders of their Capital; next, in repayment to the Deferred Shareholders of their Capital; and the balance, as to 25 per cent. to the Ordinary Shares and 75 per cent. to the Deferred Shares.

DIRECTORS.

BERTRAM JAMES REDMAN, 20 Wigmore street, London, W.1, Chairman of Rock Investment Company, Limited, Chairman.
RICHARD COBDEN THYNE, 18 St. Swithin's lane, London, E.C.4, formerly of the Executive Committee of Directors of The Bradford Dyers' Association, Limited.
REGINALD ARTHUR VINTER, Market street, Bradford, Chartered Accountant.

BANKERS.

LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK LIMITED, 21 Lombard street, London, E.C.3; Head Office, 41 Lothbury, E.C.2, and other branches.
THE BANK OF LIVERPOOL and MARTINS Limited, Water street, Liverpool; 68 Lombard street, London, E.C.3; Bradford, and other branches.

SOLICITORS.

PETER THOMAS and CLARK, 1 Bush lane, London, E.C.4

AUDITORS.

TURQUAND YOUNGS and CO., 41 Coleman street, London, E.C.2, Chartered Accountants.
J. A. HESELTON, SON and BUTTERFIELD, Market street, Bradford, Chartered Accountants.

BROKERS.

TRITTON, LABOUCHERE and CARO, 33 Old Broad street, London, E.C.2.
MIDDLETON and FRASER, Bradford.
WISE, SPEKE and CO., Newcastle-on-Tyne.
H. C. WOODCOCK and CO., Bristol.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICES.

GEOFFREY BOSTOCK, F.C.A., 21 Ironmonger lane, London, E.C.2.

PROSPECTUS.

The Corporation has been formed for the purposes described in the Memorandum of Association which are, *inter alia*, to found a Financial House for the transaction of Merchant Banking business in all its branches, mainly in the Textile and Allied Trades; to conduct and to finance Export trading; and, for these and other similar objects to establish and maintain branches and agencies throughout the world.

The Directors have well established connections in the Textile Industries of Lancashire and the West Riding of Yorkshire and have confidence that the Corporation will obtain profitable business.

The Corporation has secured the services, as Managing Director, from 2nd April, 1920, of Mr. Greeley H. Lougee, of Bradford, who has had over 25 years financial experience of the Home and Export textile trade.

The Corporation has acquired the whole of the issued Ordinary Share Capital of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, whose representation in the various commercial centres of Europe and in other of the world's markets will provide the required organisation for the immediate requirements of the Corporation.

The Corporation, in its function of a Financial House, may become interested in other Textile businesses when suitable opportunities occur, but will not be principals in actual trading. The Company of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, will retain its own valuable name, Trade Marks and Goodwill.

CHARLES SEMON AND COMPANY, LIMITED,
BRADFORD AND MANCHESTER.

AUTHORISED and ISSUED CAPITAL .... £600,000.
Divided into 350,000 7½ per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each and 250,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each.

The business of Charles Semon and Co., Ltd., was founded by the late Mr. Charles Semon in the year 1857, since when it has been continued successfully, and is to-day one of the largest merchant firms in the textile business; having a wide connection and representatives in all the chief trading centres of the world, where a reputation has been established for correctness of method and reliability in deliveries. The present Company has been incorporated to further develop and extend the activities of the business, and to take advantage of the increasing demand for textile products in all the world's markets.

PREMISES. The warehouse and administration building in Bolton road, Bradford, was erected and adapted for the particular requirements of the business. The interior arrangements with the special plant and machinery ensure efficient and economical working.

FINANCIAL POSITION. The following figures are taken from the financial statement of the Company as prepared and certified by the Auditors of the Company, Messrs. J. A. HESELTON, SON, and BUTTERFIELD, of Bradford, Chartered Accountants.

THE CAPITALISATION OF THE COMPANY is as follows:—

Debts owing to the Company	£474,822	17	3
Stock in Trade, taken at cost or under and below market prices	418,107	14	7
Freehold Building as ascertained by the valuation, dated 23rd May, 1919, of Messrs Edward Rushton Son and Kenyon, 13 Norfolk street, Manchester	53,030	0	0
Loose Plant, Fixtures, Fittings and Utensils, as ascertained by the valuation dated 23rd May, 1919, of Messrs. Edward Rushton Son and Kenyon	10,385	8	6
	£956,346	0	4
Less Balance of Liabilities taken over	356,346	0	4
Issued Capital	£600,000	0	0

The ANNUAL PROFITS during the period from 1st January, 1910, to 30th September, 1919, are itemised below; these results are arrived at after providing ample depreciation; but before charging Excess Profits Duty, Income Tax and interest on Loans, Bank Overdraft and Partners' capital. The accounts were made up to the half-year, ended 30th September, 1919, to agree the basis for the formation of the Company.

For the Year ending 31st December,	1910	....	£34,832
do. do.	1911	....	34,602
do. do.	1912	....	35,548
do. do.	1913	....	24,726
For the fifteen months ending 31st March,	1915	....	64,227
For the year ending 31st March,	1916	....	40,560
do. do.	1917	....	126,521
do. do.	1918	....	59,017*
do. do.	1919	....	147,145

The profits for the six months ended 30th September, 1919, after making ample provision for Excess Profits Duty, exceeded the sum of £100,000, being at the annual rate of **£200,000**

*The decline in the profits for the year ended 31st March, 1918, was due to the Government restriction of Export Licences.

In arriving at the above profits, no provision has been made for losses in respect of debts (principally in War Areas) not yet liquidated, but which the Company has not taken over, and for which it has no liability; the profits in the transactions leading up to these debts are included, and the provision of £49,886 allowed for possible loss has been written back to profit. With these exceptions all debts known or considered to be bad or doubtful have been written off or provided for.

The annual turnover is in excess of £2,500,000 per annum, the greater portion of which is for Export, and the orders on the books at present exceed £1,400,000.

It will be seen that the present profits accruing to the Ordinary Shares of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, are more than twice the amount required to pay the 10% dividend upon this issue of Ordinary Shares of the Corporation.

After the purchase of the Ordinary Share Capital of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, there will be a balance of £165,000 from the present issue for further transactions and development, in addition to the accrued profit from 1st October, 1919, which is guaranteed to exceed £150,000 for the six months ending 31st March, 1920.

In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Acts of 1908 to 1917, the following additional information is furnished:—

The Articles of Association of the Corporation provide that:—

The minimum subscription on which the Company may proceed to allotment shall be seven Shares. (Note:—As the 600,000 Ordinary Shares have been underwritten, the Directors will proceed to allotment on the closing of the list).

Subject to any special rights or restrictions for the time being attaching to any special class of Shares in the Capital of the Company, on a show of hands every member personally present shall have one vote only, and in case of a poll every member shall have one vote for every Share held by him.

The qualification of a Director shall be the holding in his own right alone, and not jointly with any other person, of shares of the Company of either class to the number of 1,000, and this qualification shall be required as well of the first Directors as of all future Directors, and Section 73 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, shall be duly complied with by every Director.

The remuneration of the Directors other than the Chairman and Managing Directors, shall be at the rate of £500 per annum each, and such further sum (if any) as shall be voted to them by the Company in General Meeting, and any such further sums shall be divided amongst the Directors as they shall determine or failing agreement equally.

The Directors may from time to time appoint one or more of their body to be Chairman and/or Managing Director or Managing Directors, for such period, at such remuneration and upon such terms as to the duties to be performed, the powers to be exercised and all other matters as they think fit, but so that no Chairman or Managing Director shall be invested with any powers or entrusted with any duties which the Directors themselves could not have exercised or performed. The remuneration of a Chairman and/or Managing Director may be by way of salary or commission or participation in profits, or by any or all of those modes.

The following Agreements have been entered into:—

(1). Agreement dated 23rd January, 1920, between the Corporation of the one part and Redfern Limited, 21 Ironmonger Lane, London, E.C. 2, of the other part for the purchase of 250,000 Ordinary Shares in Charles Semon and Company, Limited, being the whole of the Ordinary Share Capital of that Company at the rate of 40/- per Share in cash, with rights accruing from 1st October, 1919. Under this Agreement Redfern Limited, guarantee that the trading profit of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, for the six months, ending 31st March, 1920, shall be not less than £150,000, and that this sum be retained by the Corporation out of the purchase price until the actual profit is ascertained and the Corporation also agrees to guarantee the Capital and the Dividends of the £350,000 7½% Cumulative Preference Shares in Charles Semon and Company, Limited. Redfern Limited have the right to apply for and have allotted 175,000 Deferred Shares at 3/- per Share (including 1/- Premium).

(2). Agreement dated 23rd January, 1920, between the Corporation and the Rock Investment Company, Limited, whereby the Rock Investment Company, Limited, guarantee the subscription of this issue for a cash consideration payable by the Corporation of £30,000, being a portion of the premiums on the Deferred Shares. Under this Agreement the Rock Investment Company, Limited, have the right to apply for and have allotted to them 225,000 Deferred Shares at 3/- per Share (including 1/- Premium). The Rock Investment Company, Limited, have entered into various sub-underwriting contracts at a commission of 9d. per share and 3d. per share over-riding commission on the Ordinary Shares requiring the whole of the £30,000 referred to.

(3). Letter of Agreement dated 16th January, 1920, between the Corporation and Greeley Haigh Lougee as to service.

The following information relates to Charles Semon and Company, Limited.

(a) Agreement dated 1st November, 1918, between David Bernhard, Edgar Oscar Cohen and Walter Barraclough all of Bradford of the one part and Redfern Limited of the other part, whereby Redfern Limited acquired the business and certain of the assets of Charles Semon and Company, as from the 1st April, 1918, for the sum of £343,683 19s. 5d., payable in cash and undertook certain liabilities of the Vendors.—(b) Agreement dated 21st January, 1920, between Redfern Limited and Charles Semon and Company, Limited, whereby Charles Semon and Company, Limited, acquired the business and assets of Charles Semon and Company, as from the 1st of October, 1919, including accumulated profits from 1st April, 1918, to 30th September, 1919, for the sum of £600,000 payable as to £349,693 in 7½% Cumulative Preference Shares and £250,000 in Ordinary Shares all of £1 each credited as fully paid and as to £307 in cash. Charles Semon and Company, Limited, also undertook certain liabilities of Redfern Limited, in connection with the said business. The said purchase consideration of £600,000 includes no sum for Goodwill.

The Directors are interested as follow:

Mr. Bertram James Redman, one of the Directors, is the Chairman of, and the registered holder, solely and jointly of £80,328 Debentures, £48,750 Preference Shares, and £60,075 Ordinary Shares in the Rock Investment Company, Limited, and is the Chairman of, and the Registered Holder, solely and jointly of £3,960 Preference Shares and £2,270 Ordinary Shares in Redfern Limited, and is interested to that extent in the promotion of, and the property to be acquired by the Corporation.

Mr. Reginald Arthur Vinter, one of the Directors, is a Director of, and a registered holder of £1,460 Preference Shares in Redfern Limited, and is interested to that extent in the promotion of, and the property to be acquired by the Corporation.

The amount of preliminary expenses, which is payable by the Corporation, is estimated not to exceed £25,000, including stamp duties and fees, brokerage, advertising and printing of this Prospectus; but exclusive of underwriting commission as provided for above. The balance of the premiums on the Deferred Shares will contribute £10,000 to this account.

No promotion money has been or will be paid.

Applications for shares should be made on the accompanying form and forwarded to the Corporation's Bankers, with the amount payable on application. Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full, and if the number of shares allotted be less than that applied for, the balance will be credited towards the amount payable on allotment.

Failure to pay any instalment will render any previous payments liable to forfeiture.

Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum will be charged on instalments in arrear.

A brokerage at the rate of 3d. per share will be paid on Ordinary Shares allotted on applications identified as originating with a Broker or Approved Agent.

Brokerage will not be paid in respect of allotments of Deferred Shares.

A copy of the Memorandum of Association of the Corporation, with the names, descriptions, and addresses of the signatories and the number of Shares subscribed by them is enclosed with the prospectus and forms part of it.

A quotation for the shares now being issued will be applied for to the London, Bradford and other Stock Exchanges.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and of the Contracts (1) (2) (3) and (a) (b) above-mentioned, Reports, Certificates and Valuations can be inspected at the Offices of the Solicitors of the Corporation on any day whilst the list remains open between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Prospectuses and Application Forms can be obtained at the Offices of the Corporation, and the Offices of Charles Semon and Company, Limited, Bolton road, Bradford, and 3 Chepstow street, Manchester, also from the Company's Bankers, Brokers, and Solicitors, and from the Rock Investment Company, Limited, 21 Ironmonger Lane, London, E.C. 2.

Dated the 23rd day of January, 1920.

FORM OF APPLICATION. No. ....

TEXTILE CORPORATION LIMITED.

To TEXTILE CORPORATION LIMITED.

Gentlemen,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £ made up (1) of £ being a deposit of two shillings per Share, payable on application for .... **Ordinary Shares of £1 Each, and (2) of £ representing 3/- per Share being** the total issue price of .... **Deferred Shares of 2/- each**, in Textile Corporation Limited, I request that you will allot to me that number of Shares, and I hereby agree to accept the same or any less number that may be allotted to me upon the terms of the Prospectus dated the 23rd day of January, 1920, and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I undertake to pay the amount due on allotment, and the balance as provided by the said Prospectus, and I authorise you to register me as the holder of the Shares so allotted to me.

I hereby declare that this application is not made by or for the benefit of an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1916.

Note.—If application is not being made for Deferred Shares, the words underlined should be deleted.

Please write distinctly.

FULL NAME .... (State if Mr., Mrs., or Miss.)

USUAL SIGNATURE ....

ADDRESS ....

....

OCCUPATION ....

Dated January, 1920.

Applicants for both classes of Shares have the right to an allotment in the proportion of one Deferred Share to each two Ordinary Shares.
Applications for Deferred Shares alone will not be entertained.
Applications on behalf of a firm must be in the names of its individual partners.
This form should be filled up and sent with remittance of the application money to LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED, 21 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, and branches; THE BANK OF LIVERPOOL and MARTINS LIMITED, Water street, Liverpool; 68 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, and branches. Cheques must be made payable to Bearer and crossed "not negotiable."
An acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course either by Allotment Letter or by return of the deposit.

FINANCIAL NEWS

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed Nov. 6, 1919) .... 6 p.c.

LONDON, SATURDAY EVENING.

The week has ended quietly and easily in Lombard street, but indications that there may be some tightening up of conditions next week have, in conjunction with the uncertain foreign exchange outlook, rendered the tone rather more cautious. Call money was in ample supply, and, after being quoted at 3½ to 4 p.c., it was difficult to place balances at the close. Short fixtures were in moderate request at 4½ to 4¾ p.c. About a quarter of a million was disbursed in various dividends. No calls on new capital fell due. The discount market was quiet without change, the demand for short paper being rather less brisk. Two months' drafts were taken at 4½ p.c., three months' at 5¼ to 5⅜ p.c., and six months' at 5⅝ to 5½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed November 6, 1919 ... 6%				
60 days (fine)	4½%			
3 months ,, ... 5¼	5⅜%	Trade	......	6¼%
4 months ,, ...	5⅜%	,,	......	6¼%
6 months ,, ... 5⅝	5½%	,,	......	6½%
Loans to bill brokers day-to-day 2	4%			
do. do. for a week 4½	4¾%			
Deposit allowance Banks, at call	4%			
,, Discount houses, at call	4%			
,, ,, at notice	4¼%			

Spot silver rose ½d. to 80½d., and forward metal, at 79½d., was ½d. higher per oz.

Bar gold remained at 113/6 per oz.

The following foreign exchange rates were current to-day:—New York cables, 3.62½ to 3.62¾; Paris cables, 43.47 to 43.85; Amsterdam cables, 9.58 to 9.61; Italy cables, 51.60 to 51.77; Madrid cables, 19.40 to 19.45; Christiania cables, 19.62 to 19.65; Stockholm cables, 17.92 to 17.98; Finland cables, 83 to 85; Berne cables, 20.12 to 20.19; Brussels cables, 44.55 to 44.85; Berlin cables, 278 to 295; Rio de Janeiro, ninety days' bills, 17½d.; Buenos Ayres transfers, 64½d. to 65d.

The Stock Exchange was closed, as usual on Saturday.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

CLONAKILTY EXTENSION RAILWAY COMPANY.—The directors have (subject to audit) decided upon recommending to the proprietors at the forthcoming meeting a dividend of 4 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary Stock of the company for the half-year ended 31st December last, making, with the interim dividend declared in July last, 3 per cent. for the year. The dividend for the year 1918 was at the same rate.

CONSETT IRON.—Interim dividend of 10d. per share on Ord., and 8 p.c. per annum on the Pref.

CONSETT SPANISH ORE.—Interim dividend of 1/6 per share.

WELDONS, LTD.—Interim dividend at 10 p.c. per annum, less tax, on Ord. for half-year.

MIAMI COPPER.—Dividend of 50 cents per share, less tax, for quarter.

E. RICH AND CO.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 p.c. per annum, less tax, for half-year.

STEAD AND SIMPSON.—Dividend of 10 p.c. per share on Ord. for year.

GUY MOTORS.—Dividend of 15 p.c., less tax, for year.

UNION BANK OF CANADA.—Dividend of 10 p.c. for the year.

BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY.—Directors have declared dividend of 9d. per share.

GLYNN'S LYDENBURG.—Dividend of 7½ per cent. (1/6 per share) for the period to January 31st.

BELLINGHAM AND CO.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 p.c. per annum, less tax, on Ord. for half-year.

WARNER AND CO.—Interim dividend at the rate of 10 p.c. per annum on Ord., less tax, for half-year.

WILKINSON AND RIDDELL.—Dividend of 5 p.c. and bonus of 5 p.c., free of tax, on Ord., making 15 p.c. for year.

LONDON MERCHANT BANK.—Directors recommend a final dividend of 7/- per share, less income tax, making 12/- per share (6 per cent.) for the year, carrying forward £52,544.

BIRMINGHAM CYCLE SHARE MARKET.

Friday's closing prices:—Alldays and Onions, 28/6; Austin Ord., 31/9; do. B Pref. 6 p.c., 18/6; Belsize Motor, 34/3; Birmingham Small Arms, 32/3; Bluemel Bros., 41/-; Bowden Brake, 35/-; Brett's Stamping, 37/6; Briton Motor, 20/3; Brooks (J. B.), 33/-; Calcott Bros., 102/6; Calthorpe Motor, 81/6; Charron Motor, 20/3; Components, 20/6; do. Deferred, 20/6; Coventry Chain, 30/-; Crossley Motors, 33/3; Darracq and Co., 31/3; do. Pref., 20/-; Dennis Bros., 45/6; Enfield Cycle, 36/-; Fodens, 57/3; Guy Motors, 29/3; Halford Cycle, 48/6; Halley's Motor, 55/-; Hughes Johnson, 48/6; Humber, 30/3; do. Pref., 14/1½; James Cycle, 55/-; Leyland Motor, 18/6; Leyland Rubber, 33/9; Lucas (Jos.), 32/3; Maudslay Prefd., 43/6; Napier Ord., 29/-; do. Pref., 18/3; New Hudson, 32/9; Premier, 2/1½; do. Pref., 4/9; Riley (Coventry), 20/6; Rolls Royce, 46/6; Rovers, 43/-; Rudge-Whitworth, 36/9; Singer and Co., 74/-; Smith (S.) and Sons, 23/9; Smith's Stamping, 79/3; Standard Motor, 85/-; Star Engineering, 21/3; Stepney Spare Wheel, 53/-; Stevens (A. J.), 31/-; Straker Squire, 20/3; Sunbeam Motor, 35/6; Swift, 45/6; do. Pref., 17/3; Triumph, 62/6; Vandervell (C. A.) and Co. Prefd., 27/6; Vauxhall Motor, 25/6; Vulcan Motor, 67/6; Wolseley Motor Pref., 17/6; Wrigley (E. G.), 28/6; Dunlop Rubber, 13¼; do. A Pref., 19/-; do. B Pref., 20/3; Parent Tyre Ord., 24/-; do. Pref., 15/3; do. Deferred, 68/-; Brotherton Tube, 8/9; Tyre Investment, 74/-.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

In some respects a shake-out would do the speculative markets no harm. The pace has been so rapid of late in several directions (says the *Sunday Times*) that its continuance at this rate seems impossible. But an excuse must be found for a set-back, and at present there is none in sight. The Stock Exchange does not worry over the parlous plight of international finance. It will be time to worry when we start raising loans to help the countries whose currencies are depreciated more than ours. The Chancellor evidently has no intention of raising such loans. Our own National Debt, he tells us, has reached its maximum. Not much here in the way of a bear point, and the Budget is still a good way ahead. The over-bought state of the Oil Share market must cause profits to be salted down from time to time, but we see nothing as yet calculated to bring the boom to an end. Its directions will change, and, while holders of Mexican Eagles would do well to hang on in view of the consistently good developments, an exchange from Shells to Royal Dutch would do no harm to those who look for an early movement. Ste. Madeleine Sugars, which we recommended at about half their present price, have spurted to 9 during the past week. The rise is premature, because, according to our information, nothing is being done towards the development of the oil on the company's property. At the same time there are big potentialities, and on a reaction the shares should be worth buying to lock away. Elsewhere Marconis look a better market with less evidence of Continental selling, and sooner or later the movement in these will be resumed.

Holders of shares of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America, registered in the name of the English Association of American Bond and Shareholders, Limited, should forthwith deposit their certificates at the office of the English Association of American Bond and Shareholders, Ltd., 5 Great Winchester street, London, E.C. 2, to be exchanged into shares of the new Radio Corporation of America. Lodgment must be made in New York by 1st March next. Particulars may be obtained at the office of the Association. The English Association of American Bond and Shareholders, Limited, is prepared to forward share certificates to America to be exchanged for shares of the Radio Corporation. Shareholders should give this their immediate attention. For particulars and terms apply to Charles D. Brassey, Manager and Secretary, 5 Great Winchester street, E.C. 2.

The annual meeting of the London County, Westminster, and Parr's Bank will be held at 41 Lothbury, London, E.C. 2, on Thursday, 5th February, at one o'clock, for the consideration of the accounts and balance sheet and the directors' report for the year ended the 31st December last and for the transaction of other business. The transfer books were closed on the 1st inst., for that day only, for the preparation of the dividends, payable 2nd February, 1920.

TRAFFICS.

Buenos Ayres and Pacific Railway.—Increase for week ending 17th January, £31,000.

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FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, 22nd January, 1920.

REGULAR FORCES.—Commands and Staff.—The undermentioned relinquish their appts.:—Attd. to Hd.-Qr. Units.—Comdr. (Cl. X.)—Col. A. H. Hussey, C.B., C.M.G. Asst. Prov.-Marshal (Cl. BB.)—Maj. P. T. Foley, O.B.E., 3rd R. Muns. Fus., Spec. Res. R. Dub. Fus.—Capt. R. O. C. Bush is restd. to the estabt.

MEMORANDA.—Gen. Sir I. S. M. Hamilton, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., D.S.O., retires on ret. pay. Lt.-Col. J. K. O'Meagher, O.B.E., h.p. list, retires on ret. pay, 1st Jan., 1920, and is granted the rank of Col.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.—Reserve Units.—N. Ir. Horse.—Lt. E. A. Atkinson, M.C., resigns his commn., and retains the rank of Lt.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.—Postal Section.—Temp. Lt. (late actg. Lt.-Col.) A. H. Barry resigns his commn. and is granted the rank of Lt.-Col.

INFANTRY.—The undermentioned 2nd Lt. to be Lt.:—4th R. Muns. Fus.—T. F. McGennis.

REGULAR FORCES.—Service Battalions:—R. Innis. Fus.—Temp. 2nd Lt. E. I. Sheat, M.C., to be temp. Lt., with precedence next below G. E. S. Mitchell. R. Ir. Rif.—Temp. Lt.-Col. W. J. Allen, D.S.O., relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.-Col.

REGULAR FORCES.—Connaught Rangers.—Qrmr. and Major J. T. Gorman, M.B.E., is restored to establishment.

THOMPSON'S MILITARY TAILORS,
8 Westmoreland street, Dublin. (Estabd. 1846.)

NEW CAPITAL SCHEMES.

LLOYDS BANK, LIMITED.

The directors have had under consideration the question of a re-arrangement of the existing capital of the bank, with two objects in view, viz.:—(a) The conversion of the existing £50 shares, with £8 per share paid up, into a less cumbersome and more marketable form, and (b) the increase of the capital of the bank in order to adjust the ratio of subscribed capital to the amount of the current and deposit accounts, which have shown such great expansion during recent years. For the sake of clearness, the shareholders may be reminded that, of the present capital of £50 per share, £8 is actually paid up, and that, of the remaining £42, only £4 10s. is callable, the balance of £37 10s. being constituted, under the Articles of Association, a reserve liability. With the above objects, the directors have decided to recommend the following scheme, and resolutions will be submitted at the annual general meeting for carrying the same into effect:—1. That an amount shall be transferred from the bank's reserve fund equal to £2 upon each of the existing shares, and shall be credited to the amount of paid-up capital on such shares, making each £50 share £10, instead of £8, paid up. 2. That each of the £50 shares, with £10 paid up thereon, shall thereafter be sub-divided into 10 shares of £5 each, with £1 paid up. Of the remaining £4 per share, £3 15s. will represent reserve liability—the proportion corresponding to the £37 10s. on the present £50 shares. 3. That 2,500,000 new shares of £5 each shall be created, and that 2,355,456 of such new shares shall be offered in the first instance for subscription (by provisional allotment, with right of renunciation) to the existing shareholders at the rate of two new shares in respect of each share of £50 now held, the new shares to be paid up to the extent of £1 per share, and to be issued at a premium of £1 2s. 6d. per share, making £2 2s. 6d. per share to be paid on acceptance thereof. Any of such new shares not claimed on or before the 10th March, 1920, by shareholders, or by the persons in whose favour they may renounce, will be at the disposal of the directors, who may allot and issue the same to such persons and generally upon such terms and conditions as they may determine. 4. The premium of £1 2s. 6d. per share will be added to the bank's reserve fund, and, as the result of these arrangements and of the allocation to reserve fund out of the profits of 1919, the amount of the reserve fund will, after the transfer referred to in paragraph 1, be increased from its present figure, £9,675,105, to not less than £10,000,000, as against a paid-up capital of about £14,130,000. The total of the dividend and bonus paid on the bank's shares for the years 1918 and 1919 was at the rate of 20 per cent. (less tax) on the amount paid up thereon. The equivalent dividend, after the capitalisation of the further £2 on each £50 share out of the reserve fund as above mentioned, would be 16 per cent. (less tax) on the amounts paid up thereon. Upon this basis the annual return to a subscriber of the new shares at £2 2s. 6d. per share would work out at just over 7½ per cent. (less tax), but such new shares will rank for full dividend as from the 1st January, 1920, while the date of payment therefor will be the 10th March, 1920, as mentioned below. In all other respects the new shares will rank *pari passu* with the existing shares when sub-divided. The effect of this scheme will be to add largely to the security of the current and deposit account customers of the bank, in additional paid-up and unpaid capital and reserve fund. If the scheme is approved at the annual general meeting, it is hoped that it may be found practicable to issue provisional allotment letters and letters of renunciation a few days afterwards. In order to give the shareholders ample time to make arrangements for taking up their proportion of new shares, or to realise the same on the market by means of the letters of renunciation attached to the provisional allotment letters, it is proposed to fix the 10th March, 1920, as the date by which acceptance of the allotment and payment of the £2 2s. 6d. per share must be received by the bank.

W. AND H. M. GOULDING, LIMITED.

ISSUE OF NEW CAPITAL.

The directors of above company have decided to issue 10,778 new Ordinary shares of £5 each, at a premium of £2 10s. per share. These shares will rank for dividend (including the dividend for the current year payable at 31st July and 31st December next) *pari passu* with the existing Ordinary shares. The new shares will be allotted as nearly as possible in the proportion of one new for each five Ordinary shares held by existing shareholders on the register of members on 21st inst. £2 10s. per share will be payable on acceptance not later than 7th February, and the remaining £5 per share on allotment not later than 6th March, 1920. Letters of acceptance and renunciation have been posted to the shareholders.

ANOTHER LEVER DEAL.

OFFER FOR SHARES IN NIGER COMPANY.

We are officially informed that Lever Bros. have made an offer to the shareholders of the Niger Company, Limited, for all their Ordinary shares at a price of £6 10s. per share. Active dealings in Niger Company Ordinary shares took place on Friday, the closing quotation being £4 10s. 6d.

COMING EVENTS.

LEO GUILD, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.—A meeting of the University College Social Study Club, a centre of the Leo Guild, will be held in the College, 86 St. Stephen's Green, to-morrow (Tuesday) at 8.15. Rev. T. Finlay, S.J., will read a paper on "The Need for Social Study and Social Work by Catholics."

NATIONAL LITERARY SOCIETY.—This evening at 8 o'clock Mr. Darrell Figgis will lecture at the National Literary Society at 7 Ely place on "Idiom."

BIBLIOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY OF IRELAND.—The annual general meeting takes place this evening in the Reading Room, Royal Irish Academy (by kind permission of the Council). Short papers will be contributed by Mr. E. R. M'C. Dix, Mr. M. Butlier (Waterford), and Dr. J. S. Crone.

ROYAL IRISH ACADEMY.—There will be a general meeting of the Royal Irish Academy at the Academy House, 19 Dawson street, Dublin, to-day at a quarter-past four o'clock. Paper to be read by Professor A. Henry, M.A., F.L.S., and Miss M. G. Flood, B.A.—"The Douglas Firs: A botanical and silvicultural description of the various species of Pseudotsuga."

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION.—At 35 Grafton street, Dublin, a debate, "That the trial of the ex-Kaiser should be insisted upon," will be opened by Mr. W. J. Cairns. The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock by the Rev. G. F. C. Clements, B.A.

COMPANY NOTICES.

LONDON COUNTY, WESTMINSTER, AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Head Office, 41 Lothbury, London, E.C. 2, on Thursday, the 5th day of February, 1920, at one o'clock in the afternoon, precisely, for the consideration of the Accounts and Balance Sheet, and the Directors' Report for the year ended the 31st December last; for the election of Directors; for the appointment of Auditors, and fixing their remuneration; and for the transaction of all such other business as can be transacted at Ordinary General Meetings of the Company.

By Order of the Board.

F. MYTTON,
Secretary.

41 Lothbury, London, E.C. 2,
24th January, 1920.

Note—The Transfer Books were closed on the 1st instant, for that day only, for the preparation of the Dividends, payable 2nd February, 1920.

Proprietors registered in the Books of the Company on the 31st December, 1919, will be entitled to the Dividend on the number of Shares then standing in their respective names.

TO HOLDERS OF MARCONI WIRELESS TELEGRAPH CO. OF AMERICA SHARES.

The English Association of American Bond and Share Holders, Limited, is prepared to forward Share Certificate to America to be exchanged for Shares of the Radio Corporation. Shareholders should give this their immediate attention.

For particulars and terms apply to
CHARLES D. BRASSEY, Manager and Secretary, 5 Great Winchester street, E.C.2.

RUBBER—THE FIELD FOR THE SMALL INVESTOR. 8th edition of their well-known Rubber Handbook now ready, containing particulars 350 Companies, capital acreage, crops, costs, dividends, estimates, control, etc., together with Map of Far Eastern Areas. Send stamps or P.O. for 1/6 to publishers, Messrs. Redway Mann and Co., Ltd., 33b Bond street House (Corner Clifford street), New Bond street, London, W.1.

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Particulars of my latest recommendations on application.
From THE FINANCIAL TIMES, *10th Sept.*, 1915.
MR. R. A. STEWART HOLLEBONE.
The difficulties which members of the Stock Exchange have to contend with under the new regulations are exemplified by the fact that Mr. R. A. Stewart Hollebone has opened business premises at 4, Broad Street Place, E.C., for dealing in stocks and shares independently of the House. Mr. Stewart Hollebone's long association with the Stock Exchange naturally fits him for a business of this class.

PROSPECTUS.

Special permission of the Stock Exchange to deal in the Shares of this Company will be applied for.

A Copy of the Full Prospectus will be filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, which states, amongst other things, that the SUBSCRIPTION LIST will CLOSE ON OR BEFORE the 31st DAY OF JANUARY, 1920.

CUBAN OILFIELDS,

LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

AUTHORISED SHARE CAPITAL - - £150,000.
DIVIDED INTO 150,000 SHARES OF £1 EACH.

Issue of 100,000 Shares of £1 each, which are now offered for subscription at par.

PAYABLE

2s. 6d. ON APPLICATION; 7s. 6d. ON ALLOTMENT,

And the balance in calls of not more than 5/-, at intervals of not less than one month after the date fixed for the payment of the last preceding call, fourteen days' notice of each call being given.

The LONDON JOINT CITY AND MIDLAND BANK, LIMITED, of 5 Threadneedle street, and 60 Gracechurch street, London, E.C., and Branches, are authorised to receive, as Bankers of the Company, applications for 100,000 Shares of £1 each, payable as above.

DIRECTORS.

FREDERICK W. KERR, 27 Hereford square, London, S.W.7 (Director of the Car and General Insurance Corporation, Limited) (Chairman).
SIDNEY VAN DEN BERGH, 15 Hanover square, London, W.1 (Director of the Industrial Mutual Trust, Limited).
The Hon. LIONEL GEORGE WILLIAM GUEST, 52 Seymour street, London, W.1 (Director of the Dominion Glass Company, Limited).
EDWIN EVE, "Melrose," St. Margaret's, Twickenham, Middlesex (Director of the Havana Oil Company, Limited).
RUPERT SIMPSON, 4 London Wall Buildings, London, E.C.2 (Director of the Havana Oil Company, Limited, General Manager of the Oil Trust, Limited).

BANKERS.

LONDON JOINT CITY AND MIDLAND BANK, LTD., 60 Gracechurch street, London, E.C.

BROKERS.

WILLIAMS DE BROE AND CO., 3 Copthall Court, London, E.C.2.
CHARLESWORTH, BENNETT, AND CO., 3 Copthall Buildings, London, E.C.2

SOLICITORS.

For the Company—Messrs. GUEDALLA, JACOBSON, AND SPYER, Winchester House, Old Broad street, London, E.C.
For the Vendors and the Havana Oil Company, Ltd.—EDWARD HENRY COOPMAN, 5 Giltspur street, London, E.C.
Messrs. HERBERT SMITH, GOSS, KING, AND GREGORY, 62 London Wall, London, E.C.

CONSULTING ENGINEERS.

A. BEEBY THOMPSON AND PARTNERS, 18 St. Swithins lane, London, E.C.4.

AUDITORS.

ANNAN, DEXTER AND CO., 21 Ironmonger lane, London, E.C.2.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICES (pro. tem.).

J. W. SUTHERLAND LEASK, 14 and 15 Broad street Avenue, London, E.C.2.

PROSPECTUS.

The Company has been formed with the primary object of acquiring the right to prospect for oil over an area of approximately 6,000 acres (consisting of a property described below as Prosperidad and the Mariel Mines), in the island of Cuba, and to select, in manner below stated, out of this area 500 acres (with an option over a further 500 acres) on which to drill for oil.

Mr. A. Beeby Thompson, of Messrs. A. Beeby Thompson and Partners, consulting engineers, visited the property, by arrangement with Mr. Lewis Hamilton, the well-known oil expert, who had been instructed by the Oil Trust, Ltd., to report on the prospects of the discovery of petroleum on the properties of that Company in Cuba, including Prosperidad and the Mariel Mines.

Upon the information obtained by Mr. A. Beeby Thompson, Mr. Lewis Hamilton made a report thereon to the Oil Trust, Ltd., a copy of which is given below.

Mr. Lewis Hamilton, in the course of his report, says:—

"Unfortunately, no map could be procured showing the distribution of bituminous veins and known seepages of liquid asphalt, but the presence of these great masses of bituminous material are presumptive evidence of oil in considerable quantities."

Mr. Lewis Hamilton, in a letter to the Oil Trust, Ltd., dated the 12th September, 1919 (a copy of which is attached to his report and given below), further states:—

"Exudations of liquid pitch at various places, together with heavy oil seepage on the Aurrera plot, are evidences of the existence of oil deposits on the property. So far as these seepages of oil are concerned, on precisely the same phenomena, the wells in Mexico and Trinidad have been drilled, with results which the whole world knows."

The plots over which this Company will acquire the sub-licence above mentioned, will be selected under the advice of the Company's consulting engineers. Certain of the plots available for selection are situated in the vicinity of the masses of bituminous material and the oil seepages referred to by Mr. Lewis Hamilton.

The discovery of oil in commercial quantities in any part of the world is to-day of immense importance, owing to the fact that the present demand for oil considerably exceeds the supply, while many railway companies, shipping companies, and other industrial concerns have only postponed abandoning coal for the use of oil fuel pending the time when adequate supplies of the latter are assured.

The Oil Trust, Limited, has certain rights to operate and use a mineral railway which runs through a large portion of the property to the port of Mariel. The Company will be given such facilities for the transport of its stores, machinery, and goods over this railway as the Oil Trust, Limited, can confer. The Company will also obtain the grant, in common with other persons, of such rights of way for pipe lines as the Oil Trust, Limited, can acquire, or may be entitled to under the mining laws of Cuba.

The Havana Oil Co., Limited, which has acquired a licence over the whole of Prosperidad and the Mariel Mines, will, by the direction of the vendors of the Company, grant to it a sole and exclusive sub-licence to drill for, raise, and dispose of oil in respect of 25 square plots of 20 acres each (i.e., 500 acres), to be selected at any time within six months from the date of the sub-licence out of 150 plots of 20 acres each, being approximately one-half of the total number of plots into which the whole area of 6,000 acres has been divided on the chess-board principle, subject to the payment to the licensor company of a royalty of 10 per cent. on all oil and other oil products raised and secured from the 25 plots selected, exclusive of oil used by this Company for fuel purposes. It is stipulated by the Havana Oil Co., Limited, that this Company shall have a working capital of £100,000, subject to the payment of its preliminary expenses, and to expend at least £40,000 in actual operations in exercise of the sub-licence. The sub-licence will, in the case of each plot, be for 21 years from the date of selection, and may, at the option of the sub-licensee (to be exercised within a period of 2 years from the date of the sub-licence) be extended so as to compromise additional plots of 20 acres each, to be similarly selected by the sub-licensee out of the 150 plots above mentioned, up to the total number of 25 plots (i.e., 500 acres).

The last-mentioned option is conditional upon the sub-licensee providing an additional sum of £100,000 for working capital, and paying the sum of £10,000 to the Havana Oil Co., Limited. If this option is exercised the above-mentioned Royalty will be payable in respect of any oil raised and secured from the additional plots (exclusive of oil used for fuel purposes). In the event of less than 25 additional plots being selected, the sums will be proportionally reduced. The Havana Oil Company, Limited, undertakes to underwrite at a commission the shares of the Company required to produce the sum payable if the option is exercised. The consideration for the grant and assignment of the sub-licence to the Company is the allotment to the Havana Oil Company, Limited, and the vendors respectively of 15,000 and 35,000 fully-paid shares of £1 each of this company.

As no cash purchase price is payable by the Company to the vendors it will be noted that after the payment of the preliminary expenses of the Company the entire proceeds of the present issue will be available for working capital.

(5) The preliminary expenses exclusive of underwriting commission and brokerage are estimated at £10,000, and will be paid by the Company.

The contracts entered into include, amongst others, an agreement dated 23rd January, 1920, between this Company of the one part and United Industrial Trust Company, Limited, of the other part, under which that Company is entitled to receive an overriding commission of 1 per cent. on the nominal amount of the shares now offered in consideration of procuring the underwriting of such shares at a commission of 5 per cent. thereon. The Company is paying the whole of such underwriting commission of 5 per cent. and such overriding commission of 1 per cent.

Copies of the Memorandum of Association, the contracts, and the draft therein referred to and the above-mentioned report and letter of Mr. Lewis Hamilton may be seen at the offices of the Company's solicitors, Messrs. Guedalla, Jacobson, and Spyer, Winchester House, Old Broad street, E.C.2, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. on any day whilst the list remains open.

A brokerage of 3d. per share will be paid in respect of allotments of shares made on applications bearing the stamp of a broker, banker, or authorised agent.

It is intended in due course to apply to the Committee of the London Stock Exchange for a settlement of the shares of the company and permission to deal therein.

Application for shares should be made on the form accompanying this Prospectus, and be forwarded to the Company's bankers, the London Joint City and Midland Bank, 5 Threadneedle street, and 60 Gracechurch street, London, E.C., or any of their branches, together with a remittance of the amount payable on application.

Prospectuses and forms of application may be obtained from the bankers and brokers of the company, or at the offices of the company.

No application will be entertained except upon the terms of the full Prospectus as filed and published.

23rd January, 1920.

CUBAN OILFIELDS, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

FORM OF APPLICATION.

ISSUE OF 150,000 ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH, OF WHICH 100,000 OF SUCH SHARES ARE OFFERED FOR SUBSCRIPTION AT PAR.

TO CUBAN OILFIELDS, LIMITED.

Gentlemen,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £................, being a deposit of 2s. 6d. per share on application for .... Shares of £1 each under the above issue, I/we hereby apply for that number of such shares at par, and I/we undertake and agree to accept such shares or any less number of shares in respect of which you may accept this application upon the terms of the Prospectus dated the 23rd January, 1920, and subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I/we hereby authorise you to place my/our names on the register of members of the Company in respect of the shares allotted to me/us.

I/we hereby declare that I am not (nor one of us is) a person resident or carrying on business in any country at war with Great Britain or treated as an enemy under any proclamation relating to Trading with the Enemy or a member of a body of persons mentioned in the Statutory List under the Trading with the Enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation, 1916, No. 3, or an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1916, and that such application is not made by me/us on behalf of or in any manner for the benefit of any such person as aforesaid.—Yours faithfully,

Note.—In the case of a private firm this Form to be signed by a member(s) or nominee(s) of the firm.

PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

Usual Signature ....

Surname ....

Christian Name or Names ....

Address ....

Profession or Occupation ....
(A Lady should state whether she is a Spinster, Wife, or Widow).

Date .... 1920.

This Form to be sent with the deposit of 2s. 6d. per Share on the number of Shares applied for to the London Joint City and Midland Bank, Limited, 5 Threadneedle street, London, E.C.2, 60 Gracechurch street, London, E.C.3 and Branches.

Cheques should be made payable to the London Joint City and Midland Bank, Limited, or "Bearer," and crossed "Not negotiable."

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RARE ANTIQUE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

PICTURES, PRINTS, OLD IRISH AND OTHER GLASS, SHEFFIELD PLATE, CHINA, BOOKS, &c., AND SOME MODERN FURNISHINGS, KITCHEN UTENSILS, AND OUTSIDE EFFECTS.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE RESIDENCE OF MISS WHITE 9 MARINE TERRACE, KINGSTOWN, CO. DUBLIN.

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 27TH, WEDNESDAY, 28TH JAN,

(AND FOLLOWING DAY, IF NECESSARY), AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK EACH DAY PROMPT, A UNIQUE COLLECTION OF RARE, GENUINE ANTIQUE FURNITURE, COMPRISING A GREAT MANY EXAMPLES OF CHIPPENDALE, SHERATON, and HEPPLEWHITE and EMPIRE PERIODS,

Including: Mahogany Gate-legged Table, Cabinets, Bookcases, Angular Whatnots, Dining Chairs, Dressing Tables, Washstands, Toilet Glasses, Fire Screens, Hall Tables, Sarcophagus, Cupboards, Dinner Waggon, Set of Dining Tables, Inlaid Writing Tables, 6ft. Sideboard, Plate Bucket, Work Tables; Circular Mahogany Revolving Table, with Drawers and Three-tiers, on Brass Columns; Pair old French Arm Chairs; Mirrors, with Carved Frames; Card Tables, Reading Tables, Side Tables, Arm Chairs, Couches, Girandoles, Ormolu Wall Brackets, Empire Ormolu Clock and Pair of Vases, Ormolu Candlesticks, Wardrobes, Brass Fenders, &c., &c., all genuine examples of their respective periods. THE PICTURES include many examples of the Old Dutch and Italian Masters. THE CHINA embraces Dresden, Rockingham, Coalport, Spode, Wedgwood, and other Vases and Figures; and Ironstone Ware, including a Decorated Dinner Set of 120 pieces. THE GLASS includes Waterford, Old English and Bohemian Ware, Cut Finger Bowls, Ice Plates, Decanters, Liqueur Glasses, and some Curious Old Ruby and Green Wine Glasses, with Cut Stems. THE SHEFFIELD PLATE includes a very fine Three-bottle Sheffield Plate Spirit Stand, in Sheraton Case, and two Sauce Boats; and the Sale includes a Collection of Books, Brass and Iron Beds, Bolsters, Pillows, Mattresses, and Blankets; Carpets, China and Delf Ware, Meat Safe, and Garden Requisites. ON VIEW FRIDAY 23rd, SATURDAY 24th, MONDAY 26th January, 1920, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Catalogues, admitting to View and Sale, price One Shilling each, are now ready, and may be had from

WILLIAM MONTGOMERY AND SON.
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
1 FOSTER PLACE, DUBLIN.

AUCTION SALES BY HAZLEY & COMPANY.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, 28TH INSTANT, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

BELLA VISTA, STRADBROOK ROAD, BLACKROCK.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF RESIDUE OF CHOICE ANTIQUE & MODERN FURNITURE AND VALUABLE OUTDOOR EFFECTS,

Handsome Balli Car, by Doyle, with lamps and cushions complete; Farm Cart, capital Brown and Black Brass-mounted Harness, including Tandem Set, Donkey Sets, Cart Harness, Saddles, Bridles, &c.; Blacksmith's Forge, by Booth Bros.; Carpenter's Bench, two Lathes, Ladders, Enamelled Bath, Garden Seats and Chairs, Choice Greenhouse and Decorative Plants, Rabbits, Pedigree Fox Terrier Dog, and other Effects.

FURNITURE, including Choice Inlaid Sheraton Sideboard, Walnut Davenport, Antique Writing and Chess Table, excellent Billiard Table, on slate bed, 8 x 4, with save cover, &c., complete; Water Colours, Paintings, Choice Engravings, including Ecce Homo, in rich framing; Revolving Bookcase, quantity Miscellaneous Books, Encyclopedia Brittanica, National ditto, Cornhill Magazines, &c.; Mahogany Dining Tables, superb Carved Walnut and Gilt Overmantels, Drawingroom, Diningroom, and Bedroom Furniture, Bordered Axminster Carpet, Kitchen Furniture, and other Miscellaneous Effects.

THE ENTIRE ON VIEW TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), from 12 until 4.30 o'clock.

HAZLEY & COMPANY, AUCTIONEERS, BLACKROCK.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE. PROPERTY SALE.

No. 19 CLARINDA PARK, EAST, KINGSTOWN.
CHOICE RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Held for 97 years from 1st November, 1860, subject only to £10 per annum. Full particulars in future announcements.

Messrs. CARRUTHERS and GAMBLE, Solicitors, 39 Fleet street, Dublin.

HAZLEY & COMPANY, AUCTIONEERS, BLACKROCK.

AUCTION OF CARPETS.

TO-MORROW AND WEDNESDAY, 27TH AND 28TH JANUARY,

AT 25 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN.

JOSEPH F. KEOGH AND CO. have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION A LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF

HIGH-CLASS EASTERN & BRITISH CARPETS & RUGS,

Comprising:—Ellore, Calcutta, Malabar, Mirzapore, and Hong Kong Carpets and Rugs; also Super Wilton, Moquette, Axminster, Velvet Pile, Brussels, and Art Carpets, all of various sizes; also a large variety of Axminster and Wilton Hearth, Bedroom, and Corridor Rugs; Billiard Table Surrounds; several Rolls of Stair Carpeting (36, 27, and 22½ inches wide, respectively), to be cut in lengths, as per requirements. Goods on View This Day (Monday) from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Auction commences at 1 o'clock each day. Catalogues free on application. TELEPHONE 1066.

JOSEPH F. KEOGH & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENTS,
25 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, 10 O'CLOCK TO 4 O'CLOCK.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION

COSTLY AND ELEGANTLY DESIGNED FURNITURE, PICTURES, ORNAMENTAL CHINA, PLATED WARE.

36 LEESON PARK.

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), AND FOLLOWING DAY.

HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE, WE ARE FURTHER favoured with instructions from the Executors of Frank Callaghan, Esq., TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above date, the entire costly Furniture and Effects, which include choice and highly manufactured drawingroom and diningroom furniture, bronze marl. horses, ornamental china, and plated ware, superb bedroom suites, bedsteads and bedding, linen, etc.

Catalogues now ready. Admission to View and Sale by catalogue, price 1/-. On view to-day 10 to 4 o'clock. Sale at 12 o'clock each day.

BATTERSBY & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS.

SALE THIS DAY.

JAMES HILL AND SON

WILL SELL BY AUCTION, WITHIN THEIR WELL-KNOWN GALLERIES,

10, 11, & 12 BACHELOR'S WALK, THIS DAY (MONDAY), AT ONE O'CLOCK PRECISELY,

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

Including—WARDROBES, CHESTS OF DRAWERS, TOILET TABLES in various woods; MASSIVE BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS, SUPERIOR BEDDING, SIDEBOARDS, CABINETS, TABLES, SETS of CHAIRS, SOFAS, CARPETS, CURTAINS, RUGS, and a LARGE and VARIED ASSORTMENT of MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY. PURCHASERS TO PAY FIVE PER CENT. FEES.

INCLUDED IN TO-DAY'S SALE WILL BE A BALANCE OF TWELVE HUNDRED

IRON COMBINATION BEDSTEADS,

Which will be offered for sale without Reserve in Lots to suit Purchasers.

JAMES HILL & SON,
10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY.

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

11 STAMER STREET, S.C.R.

Walnut Sideboard, with mirror back; Walnut Diningroom Suite, upholstered in Plush, consisting of nine pieces; Walnut Telescope Dining Table, Overmantel, Oak Hall Stand, Walnut Cabinet, Walnut Regulator Clock, Bentwood Arm and Small Chairs, Stained Side Tables, Pictures, Ornaments, Carpets and Rugs, Suites of Curtains, Fenders and Fire Irons, Satin Walnut Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Utensils. Sale at 12 o'clock.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

STORE CATTLE SALES
AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.
EVERY THURSDAY.
GAVIN LOW, LTD.

SALES BY PRIVATE TREATY

STRAMORE HOUSE (GILFORD, CO. DOWN).

WE have been instructed by the Executors of the late D. Arthur Sinton, Esq., to offer for SALE BY PRIVATE TENDER, that delightfully situated GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, known as STRAMORE HOUSE, with 19 acres, or thereabouts, Statute measure, of first-class and well-wooded LANDS attached.

The House, which is adjacent to Gilford and about one mile from the Great Northern Railway Main Line at Tandragee, four miles from Portadown, and five miles from Lurgan, is with said Lands held for ever free of any rent.

The House is stone-built and slated, and contains entrance hall, four reception rooms, 9 bedrooms, 2 dressingrooms, with kitchen, and exceptionally good and convenient pantries, bathroom (h. and c.), 2 lavatories, and servants' lavatory.

There is a good water supply, with horse-power pump.

The out-offices, which are stone-built and slated, are extensive, and include coachhouses and garage, cartshed, stabling for four horses, with lofts; byres for four cows, with lofts, fowlhouse, piggery, etc.

There are three workers' dwellings on the land.

The house is in the best possible state of repair, and handsomely done up and decorated, and fitted with acetylene gas.

The out-offices are in the very best order and condition, and the stables and garage are also fitted with gas.

The lands include a splendid lawn, with pleasure grounds and garden, vinery and greenhouse, with hothouse and potting shed, etc., the remainder being in grass and timber.

The premises, which were the residence of Mr. Sinton, were done up in the best and most approved manner when he acquired same from the late Judge Kisbey, and were maintained by him in splendid order and repair, and no outlay is needed on same.

The disposal of the premises offers an exceptionally good opportunity for the acquisition of an up-to-date Country Residence, with every modern convenience, within a mile of the G.N. Railway main line, and in easy distance of Belfast.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

OFFERS for the PURCHASE of the PREMISES will be received by the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors up to the 3rd day of FEBRUARY, 1920.

For any further particulars, orders to view, and conditions of Sale, apply to

CARLETON, ATKINSON, and SLOAN, Solicitors, Portadown.

ROOFING FELT

We hold a Limited Stock of above at reduced prices, from 8/6 to 14/6 per Roll.

Sample on application.

McCARTINS, Ironmongers, SMITHFIELD MARKET, BELFAST.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION
EVERY THURSDAY. ENTRIES INVITED.
GANLY, SONS & CO.,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALES
EVERY THURSDAY. ENTRIES INVITED.
R. & J. WILKINSON,
Auctioneers, etc.,
40, 41 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

SALES BY

COGAN & BYRNE,
BALLYTORE and KILCULLEN.

2nd FEBRUARY—AT TIKNOCK (within 4 miles of Baltinglass and Rathvilly)—Prime Small Farm, containing 14a. 0r. 30p., with good Slated Dwellinghouse and Offices, nicely situated, near churches and schools. Land Commission annuity, £7 8s. 0d. P.L.V., £13 0s. 0d.

14th FEBRUARY—AT KILRUSH (within 6 miles of the Curragh and Athy)—Two Prime Farms. Lot 1—Part of the Lands of Kilrush, containing 212a. 2r. 19p. (Statute), with good Dwellinghouse and Offices. Land Commission annuity, £101. Lot 2—Part of the Lands of Kilrush, called Borough, containing 79a. 1r. 1p. (Statute). Land Commission annuity, £42. The Land Commission annuity on these two farms will be reduced after next May.

COGAN & BYRNE,
Auctioneers and Valuers,
BALLYTORE and KILCULLEN.

COUNTY WICKLOW.
BALLYHENRY, Near ASHFORD.

FARM FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

HASKINS BROS. have received instructions from Mr. F. Boon to SELL BY AUCTION, On WEDNESDAY, 28th JANUARY, At Two o'clock (Unless previously disposed of), All his Interest in above Farm, containing about 160 Statute Acres, held subject to Annuity of £97 15s. 8d.; P.L.V., £140; Board of Works charge of £7 3s. for hay shed (10 years to run). Slated 8-roomed Dwellinghouse, usual out-offices, all slated; large hay shed.

Land is sound for grazing and tillage, well fenced and watered.

Ballyhenry is about one mile from Ashford, by the main road.

HASKINS BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS, WICKLOW.

SHOOTING, FISHING, HUNTING.

WEST OF IRELAND—SPRING and SUMMER SALMON AND SEA TROUT Angling to Let, with comfortably Furnished Bungalow; also Rough Shooting. Apply "Z 287, Angling," this office.

THE BEST WEEK-END PAPER FOR DUBLIN People is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Last Edition on Sale every Saturday morning.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, 10 TILL 5.

ADAM'S SALEROOMS,
19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, NORTH.
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 27th JAN., 1920, And Following Day, at 12 o'clock.

AUCTION SALE of SUPERIOR FURNITURE and EFFECTS, SILVER, etc., comprising:—Fine Antique Mahog. Breakfront 4-door Bookcase, 7ft. 6in. Inlaid Dental Cornice, Lady's Sheraton Falling-front Secretary and Rosewood Writing Table; good Upright Pianos, by Allison and others; Organette, fine quality Organ, by Trayser, Stuttgart, double keyboard, 19 stops; very fine American Oak 6-ft. roll-top Pedestal Writing Desk and Revolving Study Chair (specially made for the last Dublin Exhibition), Louis and Inlaid Mahog. Sheraton Drawing-room Cabinets, Antique Carved Chippendale folding-top Card Table, claw feet; Loo falling-leaf and Occasional Tables, Couches, Easy and Occasional Chairs; Mahog. enclosed and pedestal Sideboards and Cheffoniers, Nelson Cabinet, Antique Couch, claw feet; Telescope Dinner Table, Mahog. and Walnut Diningroom Suites, Sets Dining Chairs, Mahog. and Flemish Oak Hall Stands, Tables, and Chairs; fine British Turkey Carpet, 16' x 13.6; good Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets and Corridor Rugs; Gilt and Walnut Overmantels; OLD WATERFORD CUT GLASS—Oval boat-shape Salad Bowl, Dishes, Rummers, etc.; SILVER—Old Irish Soup Ladle, Repoussé Sugar Basin, Cream Ewers, Christening Mugs, Sets Spoons and Forks, etc. PLATED WARE—Candelabra and Candlesticks, Coasters, Salts, etc.; Old Steel Engravings, Malton's Coloured Prints, Oil Paintings and Water Colours; Dinner, Dessert, and Tea Services; Open Bookcases, Mahog. 2-door Wardrobes, Toilet Tables, and Glasses; Oak Bedroom Suite, Inlaid Sheraton Double Bedstead, and Italian and other Brass and Iron ditto; Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding; Invalid Chair, Chair Bed, Bentwood Chairs, Gladstone Bag and Trunks, Cameras, Yost Typewriter, Gramaphone Records, fine quality Fancy Wicker Perambulator, Children's Go-Cars, Richmond Gas Cooker, Metal Mantels and Grates, Oil Stoves, Kitchen Mangles, Furniture and Utensils; Gloucester Incubator, Rotary Churn and Butter Mixer, Hose and Reel, Mahog. Show Case, Fittings and Glass, 36 Iron Hospital Commodes, 32 doz. Tin Candlesticks, etc. On View To-day (Monday), 26th Jan., 10 till 5. Sale To-morrow (Tuesday), 27th, at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers and Appraisers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

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1 & 2 CLANWILLIAM PLACE.

Held in Fee-simple, free of rent for ever. Choice corner Site, having about 210 feet frontage to Lower Mount street and about 47 feet frontage to Clanwilliam place. Attached to the Sites are the Vendor's Interest in the total

GOVERNMENT REBUILDING GRANTS OF £2,450.

FOR SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, at JAMES ADAM and SONS' ESTATE SALEROOMS, 17 MERRION ROW, at 1 o'clock p.m., on MONDAY, 2nd day of FEBRUARY.

The foregoing is a most valuable Corner Site of about 9,000 superficial feet, with long frontage to Lower Mount street and frontage also to Clanwilliam place, with wide lane entrance at rear, and very convenient to Canal Docks and Dublin Port.

It is eminently suitable for the erection of a Garage, Showrooms, Shops, good class Residential Flats, etc. Its commanding position on a main thoroughfare should always assure, to any property erected on this site, a ready and lucrative market.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale on application to

E. WHITE, Solicitor, 16 Molesworth street; or from

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN.

LAST WEEK OF

ROWAN'S SALE.

Further Reductions in all Departments.

ROBES, COATS, ETC.

Eolienne and Cotton Georgette Afternoon and Dance Frocks, in Rose, Champagne, Grey, Shell, Mauve, Saxe, Navy, and Black; usual price, 4 Gns. .... Now 42/-

Special Line—Heavy Quality Crepe-de-Chine Frocks in Emerald, Cerise, Light and Dark Saxe, Mole, Navy, and Black. Regular price 5 Gns. .... Clearing at 63/-

40 Winter Coats in Fleece, Nap, Tweeds, and Checks, all shades, this season's styles. Were 5 to 7 Gns. .... Clearing at 39/6

Fur Coats in Mole Skin, Mole Coney, Marmot, Musquash, Pony Coney, and Seal Musquash. Clearing considerably under regular prices.

Matrons' Coats in Caracul Cloth, Curl Cloth, Mohair, Plush Face Cloth, Corded Moire and Plain Silks. Usual prices, £5 to £8. Now 50/6 to £4

Velour and Tweed Coats, Fur Trimmed. Were 11 to 18 Gns. ...... Clearing at 8½ to 13 Gns.

60 Tweed Coating, and Check Costumes, fashionable styles. Were 39/6 to 65/-. Clearing from 19/11

Cavalier Capes in Mole, Navy, and Black Face Cloth and Admiralty Serge. Usual prices 10 to 12 Gns. ...... Clearing from 5 to 7 Gns.

DRESSES.

Exceptional value in Covert Coating, 56in. wide, in colours Fawn and Grey. Usual price 10/6 per yard ... Sale Price, 4/11 per yard.

40" Covert Coating, a bargain, in Fawn only. Usual price, 6/11 per yard. Sale Price, 2/11 per yard.

Admiralty Serges in Navy and Black, all wool, guaranteed old dye. Regular prices, 13/11 to 27/6 per yard. Sale Price, 11/6 to 21/- per yard.

Special value in Tweeds suitable for Costumes and Sports Skirts, plain colours and heather mixtures. Regular price, 7/11 to 17/11. Sale Price, 5/11 to 13/11

KIDDIES' DEPT.

Odd Lot of Children's Coats, 18, 20, 22, 24 inches. Clearing less than Half-Price. (All Good Shades.)

Children's Millinery, Clearing less than Half-Price.

UNDERCLOTHING.

Natural Merino Combinations, Long Sleeves. Usual price, 8/11 .... Sale Price, 6/11

Natural and White Merino Combinations, Long Sleeves. Usual price, 14/6. Sale Price, 10/6.

Natural and White Merino Combinations, Short Sleeves.—Usual price, 10/11. Sale Price, 8/6

Natural Merino Bodices, Long Sleeves. Usual price, 4/11 .... Sale Price, 3/6

White Merino Bodices, Long Sleeves. Usual price, 6/11 .... Sale price, 4/11

Ladies' Grey Fleece-Lined Knickers. Usual price, 8/11 .... Sale Price, 7/6

Ladies' Fleece-Lined Knickers, Navy, Brown, Saxe, Mole, Cream. Usual price, 7/11. Sale Price, 6/11

Ladies' Stockinette Knickers, Navy, Brown, Saxe, Grey, Cream. Usual price, 5/11. Sale price, 3/6

Ladies' Wool Vests, Long Sleeves. Usual price, 7/6 .... Sale Price, 5/11

Ladies' Wool Vests, Short Sleeves. Usual price, 6/11 .... Sale price, 4/6

Ladies' Vests, Short Sleeves. Usual price, 3/11 .... Sale Price, 2/6

5 Doz. Children's Print Overalls, 24 to 36 inches. Several Designs. Usual price, 5/11 to 7/11 .... Sale Price, 2/11 and 3/11

FURS.

White Fox Furs, one animal and Tango shape. Usual price, 18 to 27 Gns. Sale Price, 13 to 19 Gns.

Wolverine Tie, Tango Shape. Original price, 29 Gns. .... Now 21 Gns.

Bear Ties, Cape, Tango, and animal shape. Were 69/6 to 79/6. .... Clearing at 45/6

Skunk and Black Beareen Ties, animal shape. Usual price, 39/6. .... Now 19/11

Imitation Ermine Scarf, large size. Usual price, 6½ Gns. .... Now 4 Gns.

Skunk Opossum Scarves. Original price, 8 to 14 Gns. .... Clearing at 5½ to 9 Gns.

Skunk Black and Blue Goat Ties, Tango and animal shape. Were 49/6. .... Now 32/6

A Large Assortment of Bands every make of Fur. .... Clearing from 7/11

POSTAGE EXTRA.

64 SOUTH GEORGE'S ST. & 65.

SALES BY TENDER.

G. R.

THE Admiralty have for Disposal the following STEAM WHALERS, lying in the Firth of Forth, viz.:—

BOWHEAD, BALENA, BELUGA, PILOTWHALE, ARCTIC WHALE, ZEDWHALE.

Brief particulars are as follows:—

HULL.
Length, B.P.—125' 0".
Breadth, extreme—25' 0".
Depth, moulded—12' 6".
Tonnage (gross)—236.80.
Draught, mean—9' 0".
Displacement—370 tons.
Coal capacity—60 tons.
Economical speed—10 knots.
Endurance—1,300 knots.

MACHINERY.
One Set of Triple Expansion Surface Condensing Engines, with cylinders 14½", 23½", and 39" diameter and 24" stroke.

BOILERS.
Water Tube Boilers of White Forster type, coal fired, heating surface of each boiler 1,420 sq. ft. and grate surface 41 sq. ft. W.P. 200lbs. per sq. inch.

Tender Forms, with permission to inspect, may be obtained from the Director of Contracts, Branch 8, Room 25, Avenue House, Northumberland avenue, London, W.C. 2.

Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, 16th February, 1920.

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HORSES, HARNESS, VEHICLES, &c.

ALESBURY TRAPS.
NOTED GOLD MEDAL TUB, TONNEAU, ALL WEATHER, AND HOODED CARS. SEVERAL CHEAP SECONDHAND CARS. Catalogues from ALESBURY BROS., EDENDERRY, KING'S CO. Showrooms, 5 LINCOLN PLACE, Westland Row, Dublin.

AT T. J. Callaghan and Co., Ltd., 13 to 16 Dame st.—Horse Clothing and all Stable Requisites; moderate prices. T

A BIG Mule, absolutely quiet, guaranteed to plough and all work; five useful Mares and Horses; cheap. Burke, Erne st., Westland Row. B

BAY Mare for Sale, in foal; a good worker in all areas. Apply 36 East James's place. C

BROUGHAM for Sale, iron shod wheels, cheap.—N 1569, this office. B

FOR Sale, Hotel 'Bus, cheap to clear. Particulars, Pattison, Cloughjordan. D

FOR Sale, Bay Mare, very fast, driven city, ride, 7 years, sound; also Pony Mare, by Berkley Nuggett, ridden by children, 5 years, sound.—McGrath, Belleville House, Ashtown. C

FOR Sale, two Mares, 6 years old, 16½ hands high, trained to all farm work, sound, quiet, fit 2 ton lorry or dray; splendid pair; can be seen at any time.—J. Talbot, 1 Castle terrace, Malahide.

FOR Sale, strong, useful Brougham Horse, 7 years, sound, quiet, well used to city. Apply Lodge Man, Verville, Vernon avenue, Clontarf. B

HARNESS for Gig, Cob, and Pony, also Cart Harness, cheap.—Smith's, Saddlers, 93 Marlborough street, Dublin. T

HUNTER, coming 6, up to 13st., never beaten Show ring, now makes noise, otherwise sound, £80.—143, Irish Times Office, Cork.

LADY'S Saddle to be Sold. Seen at 31 Fitzwilliam place.

PONY Saddle, almost new, for Sale.—"Z 57, Saddle," this office. A

PONY, Trap, and Harness for Sale, fast roadster, 13 hands, quiet; Governess Car and Harness, in very good order; all or separate. Apply Morgan, Mountpellier. A

PONY, Inside Car (Doyle), rubber tyres, Brass Mounted Harness, perfect turn out, Sale Auction, Rockview, Marlborough, Thursday next.

RUBBER Tyres, all sizes, fitted at short notice.—The City Wheel Works, Ltd., Great Brunswick st. T

RUBBER TYRES—Any pattern fitted to your wheels while you wait. Materials and workmanship guaranteed. J. W. and T. CONNOLLY, LTD., "Ideal" Tyre and Wheel Works, 58 TOWNSEND STREET, DUBLIN. 78 31

TO Horse Feeders—You can have your own Oats or Barley Crushed at Goodbody Brothers' Mills, 35 High st. X

LIVE STOCK, DOGS, ETC.

A FEW Choice Dairy Cows, calved this week.—E. Hall, Kill of Grange, Dublin. A

AT Stud—The celebrated Wire Haired Fox Terrier Millmount Gamester, by Cocoanut of Notts, sire of Champion Cocoatina of Notts. Stud cards.—Nicholson, Millmount Villas, Drumcondra, Dublin. A

A SPLENDID White Bull Terrier Bitch, 2 years old; £4 or nearest offer; also large Watchdog; cheap.—N 1404, this office.

BULL Bitch, pure white, very handsome, perfect watch. Full particulars, Mrs. Tyrrell, Kilmore, Drumconnick, Cavan.

BEAUTIFUL young Male Collie, good working strain; grand Fox and Irish Terrier.—177 North Circular road.

COLLIES—Beautiful Puppies, perfect all points, sure prize winners, champion pedigrees.—Mrs. Tyrrell, Kilmore, Drumconnick, Cavan.

COCKER, liver, male, 11 months, perfect specimen, champion pedigree, ready for training. Particulars, Mrs. Tyrrell, Kilmore, Drumconnick, Cavan. C

DACHSHUNDS, three months, grandsire Champion Hauptman.—Rev. Godfrey Wilson, Mountmellick. B

FOR Sale, beautifully marked, well bred, liver and white Pointer Dog; fit for training, £7.—"Z 210, Dog," this office.

FERRETS, strong, 18/6; Liners, 20/-; carriage 1/6 extra; Nets, 1/-.—Lindsay, Roscrea. C

FOR Sale, prize Blue Dexter, 5 years; due calve first week February.—Maher, Thornhill, Bray. A

FOR Sale, two Collie Pups, four months old, sable and white, females, champion pedigree. Apply P. Meeghan, Prospect, Dundalk.

FOR Sale, Kerry Blue Terrier. Apply John Healy, Lisanoria, O'Dorney, Co. Kerry. B

KERRY Blue for Sixpence—Lovely 2 months old Pure Bred Pup. Prize Drawing January 31st, in aid of St. Ultan's Infant Hospital, Dublin. Tickets 6d. each from Kenny's, 65 Middle Abbey street, or St. Ultan's Hospital, Dublin.

RED Setter Bitch, second season, thoroughly broken, good worker; price £9.—Walsh, Creamery, Abbeyleix. A

SALE, Labrador Puppies, 8½ weeks, best blood, Munden Peter, of Faskally, Sarratt and Flapper.—Carter, Monaveo House, Ballickmoyler. B

SHORTHORN Cow for Sale, third calf, good milker; due to calve this month. Seen Malcomson, Leenor, Pembroke Park.

SETTERS—Four Red Setter Pups, best working strain in Ireland; males £3, females 35/-.—N 1457, this office.

WANTED, two Cocker Spaniel Pups, dogs six months old or younger; pure bred if possible; replies to state age, sex, and colour; black and white or blue only considered.—"Z 210, Pup," this office.

WANTED, Service of Pedigree Irish Setter Dog; must be good worker; winner preferred.—"Z 280, Dog," this office.

TUITIONS AND SCHOLASTIC.

ALL Professional Prelims. and University Entrances, Oral and Correspondence. Success list and particulars, McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville st., Dublin.

ALL Professional and University Preliminaries—Thorough and rapid preparation for Solicitors', Surgeons', Veterinary, Pharmaceutical Preliminaries, University Entrances; Day, Evening, Correspondence Classes.—W. St. George Breaker, 9 Molesworth street, Dublin.

ALL Modern Languages Taught by the most conversational method; classes starting any time; £1 monthly.—Berlitz School, 4 Grafton st. X

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HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

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EXECUTOR'S Sale—Good paying City Property, 2, 3, 3a, 4, 5, 6 Ryder's row, Parnell st. (near Capel st.), producing £240; ground rent £47; 99 years. MacArthur's Auction, Friday next, 30th January. A

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN IRELAND. KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.

BERNARD McGINN, of Abbey Quarter, Ballyhaunis, in the County of Mayo, Draper, was on the 23rd day of January, 1920, adjudged Bankrupt.

Public Sittings will be held before the Court at the Bankruptcy Buildings, Four Courts, Dublin, on Friday, the 6th day of February, 1920, and on Friday, the 20th day of February, 1920, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his Estate and Effects. Creditors may prove their Debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditor's Assignee. At the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination.

All persons having in their possession any Property of the Bankrupt should deliver it and all Debts due to the Bankrupt should be paid, to A. G. Hollinshead, Official Assignee, Bankruptcy Buildings, Four Courts, Dublin, to whom Creditors may forward their Affidavits of Debt.

C. B. CLARKE, Deputy Registrar.
CASEY, CLAY, and COLLINS, Solicitors for Assignee, 21 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

JOHN RYAN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, Sec. 19, that the above-named John Ryan, late of 64 Belmont avenue, Donnybrook, in the County of Dublin, by his Will bequeathed the following Charitable Legacies, viz.:—

To the Rector for the time being of Milltown Park, Milltown, County Dublin, for the celebration of Masses in Ireland for the repose of the soul of him, the said John Ryan, Deceased, and of the souls of his mother, Elizabeth Ryan, Deceased, and his wife, Amy Catherine Mary Ryan, Deceased, a sum of Two Hundred Pounds.

To the Lord Abbot of Mount Mellary Abbey, Cappoquin, in the County of Waterford, for the celebration of Masses in Ireland for the same intentions, a sum of Two Hundred Pounds.

To such priests as may be selected by the Executrices and Trustees named in his said Will, for the purpose of having Masses celebrated for the same intentions, a sum of Three Hundred Pounds.

To the Reverend Mother Superioress of Mount Saint Anne's Convent, Milltown, aforesaid, for the sick poor visited by the Sisters of Charity in the City or County of Dublin, a sum of Two Hundred Pounds.

The said Testator died on the 20th day of May, 1919, and the Administration of the personal estate of the said Deceased was, on the 10th day of December, 1919, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland to Elizabeth Keown, one of the Executrices named in the said Will of the said Deceased.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1920.

JOHN T. DOYLE, Solicitor for the said Executrix, 18 Fleet street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and to others whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of JOHN RYAN, late of 64 Belmont avenue, Donnybrook, in the County of Dublin, and of the City of Dublin Technical Schools, Bolton street, in the City of Dublin, Director of Technical Education, Professor of Engineering, and Barrister-at-Law, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the said John Ryan, Deceased, who died on the 20th day of May, 1919, are hereby required, on or before the 27th day of February, 1920, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for Elizabeth Keown, one of the Executrices named in the last Will of the said John Ryan, Deceased, to whom the Administration of the personal estate of the said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland on the 10th day of December, 1919. And in default thereof, the said Executrix, Elizabeth Keown, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims or demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1920.

JOHN T. DOYLE, Solicitor for the said Executrix, 18 Fleet street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of CORNELIUS McGILLYCUDDY, late of No. 9 Manor street, in the City of Dublin, Cattle Dealer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claims or demands whatsoever against the estate or effects of the above Deceased, who died on the 6th day of December, 1919, at No. 9 Manor street aforesaid, are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of March, 1920, to furnish in writing particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for Joseph D. Fogarty, of Bellevue, Templemore, County Tipperary, and Michael Cadds, of 48 Seville place, Dublin, the Executors named in the Will of the Deceased, to whom Probate thereof was granted by the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate), of the High Court of Justice in Ireland on the 21st day of January, 1920.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 1st day of March, 1920, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars have been given as above required.

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SMALL Furnished House Wanted; state terms.—"Z 286, House," this office. C

UNFURNISHED House Wanted before June, six rooms, no basement, South side; rent about £100.—N 1415, this office.

WANTED, small Furnished House or Rooms, Malahide, Drumcondra, or vicinity. Reply Mrs. Shaw, Pollerton, Hotel, Harcourt st., Dublin. A

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CORRY—January 22, 1920, at 54 South Main st., Naas, the wife of Joseph Corry, M.P.S.I., of a daughter.

HAYDEN—January 20, 1920, at Private Nursing Home, 5 Mount st. Crescent, the wife of James Hayden, a son.

HUNT—January 25, 1920, at Private Nursing Home in Dublin, to James and Violet Hunt, of Grace Park rd., Drumcondra, and 62 North King st., a daughter.

JACOBS—January 19, 1920, at 37 Lower Leeson st., Sophie, wife of Bethel L. Jacobs, of a son.

MacARTHUR—January 24, 1920, at 37 Lower Gardiner st., to Mr. and Mrs. Albert V. MacArthur, a daughter.

NUGENT—January 26, 1920, at 89 Lower Baggot st., to Sir Walter and Lady Nugent, Donore, Multyfarnham, a son.

MARRIAGES.

GRIMSHAW and BROMHEAD—December 1919, at The Residency, Jodhpur, by special licence, Major R. W. W. Grimshaw, Poona Horse, son of late T. W. Grimshaw, M.D., C.B., to Dorothea, daughter of the late Major Bromhead, 2nd Gurkhas, and grand-daughter of Colonel Sir Benjamin Bromhead, Bart., Thurlby Hall, Lincoln.

MOORE and HARRISON—January 17, 1920, at St. Sidwell's Church, Exeter, by the Rev. T. Jones, Alfred T. Moore, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of 84 Paris st., Exeter, to Ellen F. Harrison, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, of 30 Harmond st., Dublin.

DEATHS.

ALEXANDER—January 24, 1920, at Lafrona, Warrenpoint, Louisa Harriett, widow of Rev. Alexander, B.A., late Rector of Killinagh, Blacklion, Co. Cavan. Funeral to Killinagh, 2.30 p.m. to-morrow (Wednesday).

FLOOD—January 25, 1920, at 30 Marlborough rd., Donnybrook, Mollie, youngest daughter of Genevieve and the late Dr. Philip Flood, Rio, England. R.I.P. Funeral private.

FREE—January 23, 1920, at her parents' residence, 77 Upper Rathmines, Dorothy Frances Gladys, dearly-beloved elder daughter of David and Mary Jane Free.

"Just as I am—without one plea, But that Thy blood was shed for me, And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee; O Lamb of God, I come!"

INSLEY—At Castlerea, Mary A. Insley, widow of the late William Insley. Funeral (private) to Ballinlough, leaving Castlerea at 11.30 this (Tuesday) morning.

LUMSDEN—January 24, 1920, after a brief illness, Peter Paul, aged 14 years, youngest beloved son of John and Margaret Lumsden, 48 Home Villas, Donnybrook. Deeply regretted by his loving parents, sisters and brothers, and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral to-day, at 1.30, from Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, to Dean's Grange.

MOSS—January 22, 1920, at his residence, Cook st., Belfast, Alexander Moss, aged 44 years, the eldest and beloved son of Adam and Mary Moss, Loughcrew, Oldcastle, Co. Meath. Deeply regretted by father, mother, brothers, and sisters. Thy will be done.

O'CONNOR—January 25, 1920, at his residence, 22 Portland st., N.C. rd., Dublin, Charles O'Connor, deeply and deservedly regretted by his loving family. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) morning at 11 o'clock.

O'CONNOR—January 26, 1920, at a Private Hospital in Dublin, after a short illness, Hugh O'Connor, of Wellington, Templeogue, and 51 Camden st. (late Lower Kevin st.), aged 66. R.I.P. Funeral from the Church of St. Kevin's, Harrington st., to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, after the 10 o'clock Mass, for Glasnevin.

PEIRCE—January 25, 1920, at Rosenvaenge, Copenhagen, Robert Peirce, of Castleview, Cloghran, Ireland, son of the late John Peirce, F.R.C.S.I., Newcastle West, Limerick, aged 73 years.

SCULLY—January 25, 1920, Patrick J. Scully, for many years representing Messrs. John Freeman and Son, Ltd., Anchor Brewery, Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral will leave Broadstone Station for Longford by 7.25 a.m. train, to-morrow (Wednesday).

WHITE—January 26, 1920, at 6 Clare st., Edward J. White, retired Civil Service Pensioner, in his 87th year. Fondly loved and deeply mourned by his affectionate daughters. "Jesus gives the weary calm and sweet repose." Funeral (private) to Mount Jerome Cemetery, to-morrow (Wednesday) morning. American papers please copy.

WILSON—January 22, 1920, at Madresfield Grange, Malvern, after a short illness, Arthur Charles C. Wilson, third son of the late James Wilson, D.L., of Currygrane, Co. Longford, and dearly loved husband of Norah Wilson. The funeral took place at Old Basing on Saturday, January 24th.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. Bertram Smith and family, Lad lane, Baggot st., desire to thank the very many friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement. They hope that this notice will be accepted by all, as it would be impossible to reply individually to the numerous letters and telegrams received.

Mr. J. Webb, 96 Mount Haigh, Kingstown, desires to express his grateful thanks for the kind messages of sympathy received by him on the occasion of his recent bereavement.

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